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GERMAN FORCES FAIL TO ENCIRCLE ITALIAN TROOPS

In Northern and Eastern Italy, According to Statement Issued By Italian War Office

(By Associated Press)

Italian Army Headquarters in Northern Italy, Nov. 12—The enemies operations in northern and eastern Italy have failed. Their attempt to encircle the Italian forces have been frustrated according to the statement issued by the Italian war office today.

The statement also contains the information that the menace on the left wing of the Italian forces is passed.

Berlin, via London, Nov. 12—Austro-German forces in Northern Italy have cut off 10,000 retreating Italians, and a violent battle is reported by the war office in the region around the Palve river valley. The Italians are reported to have surrendered.

TAKE AWAY LICENSE OF TWO

The excise commission has revoked the licenses of Henri L. Provost and Edmund L. LaBlanc, both conducting saloon business in Manchester.

RED TRIANGLE CAMPAIGN STARTS

Mass Meeting at Colonial Theatre--Principal Perry and Prof. Whorisky Speakers

There was a large and representative gathering at the Colonial Theatre on Sunday evening for the Red Triangle mass meeting, for the opening of the big campaign which extends all over this country, to raise $35,000,000 to carry on the work of the Red Triangle in all parts of the world and at the camps in this country.

This sum of money, large as it may seem, is to be devoted exclusively to the comfort and care of the enlisted men of the allied fighting forces, and not a cent is supposed to enter into any permanent improvement or future needs of the Y. M. C. A.

Mayor Samuel T. Ladd presided and briefly stated the cause of the meeting and outlined what had been done and what was hoped could be done this

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PRESIDENT URGES CO-OPERATION OF LABOR UNIONS

Declares That in Order To Win the War That All Should Unite in the Common Cause and Sink All Differences

(By Associated Press)

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 12—President Wilson delivered a message to the workmen of the United States in an address today before the annual convention of the American Federation of Labor delegates being held in this city.

In an eloquent address, the President appealed to organized labor from the government standpoint. He declared that in order to win the war, all should unite in the common cause and sink all differences.

A warm tribute was paid to the chief executive. As he entered the hall where 6000 were assembled, it was the signal for a tremendous round of cheers that lasted for over ten minutes.

Samuel Gombers, president of the Federation, was also paid a warm tribute.

The President called on all those present to spread the word that all organized labor should give their President hearty support.

Pacificism was the President's topic for considerable criticism. The method of procedure taken by the pacifists in the present war was denounced.

In speaking of the German war situation the President said that Germany was the one that started the present existing conditions and that he would leave it to the coming history to decide this fact.

The need of co-operation between labor and capital, was one of the most interesting passages of the address. It was the topic of considerable discussion by both the President and those present.

The President referred to the war as the "last issue of old principles of power and not principles of freedom."

In continuing, the President said: "I believe that the spirit of freedom would find as warm a welcome in the hearts of the Germans as in the hearts of any other nation. Pan-German sentiments cannot be used to install it, however.

"People in the Central Powers know that if the war ends as it now stands, that they will have to effect the vassils of Germany."

In speaking of the Russian crisis, the President said:

"May I not say that it is hard to believe that any nation of peoeple so ill informed as to suppose that Russia could think that their plans of reform could live with such power to overthrow them.

"Any body of freedom compounded with Germany, compounds its own destruction."

In speaking of the Pacifists, he said: "I oppose not the freedom of the Pacifists, but their methods of procedure. They don't know how to get peace. I do."

In explaining Colonel House's visit to Europe, the President said:

"I have sent this lover of peace, not to negotiate peace, but for the purpose of determining the best way to win the war in the United States. If we are true believers in freedom, we should see that no power for country should stand in the way of it; we must stand together until the war is over.

"I am with you if you are with me, not speaking of personalities, but for the co-operation of the United States government."

MAYOR LADD SENDS REPLY TO CIVIC ASSO.

Says Moral of "Unborn Child" Is Good; Has Cautioned on Suggestive Posters.

Portsmouth, Nov. 10, 1917.

Mrs. Mary I. Wood, President of the Civic Association, Portsmouth, N. H.:

Dear Mrs. Wood—As agreed, I have seen the Allied Theatre Company. They are always pleased to receive criticism, and welcome it, from the public.

If at any time there is shown at their theatres an immoral play or picture in any way objectionable they will stop it, if shown to be such.

Last night I saw the "Unborn Child" and will say the moral of the play is good; the parts were well played and I think that it would do us all good to see it.

I have cautioned the theatre people about the display of suggestive posters.

Yours sincerely,

SAMUEL T. LADD,
Mayor of Portsmouth, N. H.

WHEREABOUTS OF KERENSKY'S ARMY IS UNKNOWN

Street Fighting is Proceeding Constantly in Petrograd and Supporters of Kerensky Capture Telephone Stations

(By Associated Press)

Petrograd, Nov. 12—Street fighting is proceeding constantly. Junkers loyal to the Kerensky government effected the capture of the telephone stations this morning after a violent struggle, according to advices received today.

The whereabouts of Premier Kerensky's army that was reported to be marching on Petrograd is unknown.

Believe that Kerensky Government Will Take Control

Washington, D. C., Nov. 12—Further advices received by the state department from Ambassador Francis in Petrograd, state that he is of the opinion that the Kerensky government will again take control. This, the American diplomat bases on the present indications.

Conditions relative to the present political crisis, outside of Petrograd, were unknown to Ambassador Francis at the time he filed his communication.

PORTSMOUTH WOMEN'S COLLEGE CLUB

Any women who wish to join the Portsmouth Women's College Club temporarily or permanently are asked to apply at once to Miss Dorothy Thayer, 664 State street, telephone 134. Any one who has completed the work of one college year is eligible for membership and will becordially welcomed at the next meeting on Saturday, Nov. 17.

TAKES GOVERNMENT POSITION

Dr. Fred H. Boland, a veterinarian, for the past five years located in this city, has been appointed animal inspector for the government with headquarters at Springfield, Mass.

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WILL RECEIVE THEIR OFFICERS COMMISSIONS

(By Associated Press)

Paris, Nov. 12—American Members of the Lafayette Flying Squadron are soon to be transferred to the American forces. It is expected that the French military office will effect the transfer within the next few days. Those being transferred will receive officers' commissions.

TWO HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOUR AIRPLANES LOST

(By Associated Press)

Berlin, via London, Nov. 12—The Entente powers report that thus far 241 airplanes and nine balloons have been lost in the war. During the last month the report says that 55 planes and one balloon were lost.

MUST ADOPT JOINT RATES FOR CARRIERS

(By Associated Press)

Washington, D. C., Nov. 12—The Interstate Commerce Commission announced today that the supreme court had determined that eastern railroads should adopt through routes and joint rates for carriers.

Read the Want Ads.

AMERICAN CONGRESSMEN UNDER FIRE

(By Associated Press)

Paris, Nov. 12—The American congressmen have returned from a visit to the French and American battle fronts. While on the visit the Americans were under fire, says official advices received in this country today.

The American diplomats had the pleasure of seeing a German position sheled. While visiting the American front the congresmen were entertained by American officers.

BUSINESS MEN MEET TONIGHT

The Chamber of Commerce has called a meeting of all local merchants for tonight at 8 o'clock in Pierce hall.

Plans for the Chamber of Commerce Credit Bureau soon to be opened will be discussed and formulated.

C. A. Richmond of Haverhill will be the speaker. He is a member of the Haverhill Bureau and it being well established the working of the bureau will be explained.

THE WEATHER

Forecast for Portsmouth and Vicinity—Unsettled, cloudy tonight; Tuesday probably rain; moderate northwest to north winds.

Sun Rises	6.31
Sun Sets	4.26
Length of Day	9.55
High Tide	9.19 am, 9.47 pm
Moon Rises	4.24 am
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CAT SAVES SEVEN SAILORS FROM SUFFOCATION

Wakefield, Mass., Nov. 12—Several sailors at the navy rifle range at Wakefield narrowly escaped being smothered to death by smoke early Saturday morning. They declared they were saved by a cat, the mascot of the National Naval Volunteers, the unit in charge of the range.

The men, most of whom are from the Newport training station, were sound asleep in a room of one of the two main buildings when about four a. m. a spark from an open fire place set fire to the mattress in the bed of Bugler Johnson. A dense smoke arose from the smouldering mattress and the men were rapidly being asphixiated when Ensign Carlton Crawford, two rooms away was awakened by the cat.

The feline mascot had been sleeping in the room with the seven sailors, and when the smoke became thick it ran from the apartment and into the room in which the ensign was slumbering. Meowing loudly in its fright, it sprang upon his bed, and he declares ran across his head.

He aroused the seven sleeping sailors, and after assisting three of them from the room, sounded the alarm on a ship's bell. All the men at the range, more than a hundred were aroused and came dashing to the fire. When they arrived, carrying fire extinguishers and buckets of water, they found the contents of the room ablaze.

Meantime, one of the sailors ran about a mile to the nearest fire alarm box in Wakefield and sounded an alarm. Before the fire apparatus arrived the sailors extinguished the flames. The loss, including the men's clothing, was about $200.

DEFECTIVES BEING KILLED BY DOCTOR

Chicago, Nov. 11 —Painless death by means of "God saving" drugs is being applied to Paul Modzlma, a child with a microcephalus head, by Dr. Harry J. Halselden of the German-American hospital, according to the physician's admission.

"The boy's head is malformed and he suffers from a stricture of the traches, which causes labored breathing. He would always remain a hopeless idiot," said Dr. Halselden.

Opiates being administered for the primary purpose of relieving pain will cause the death of the child in several months, it is admitted.

Regardless of the fact that the treatment can have no other result than the child's death, it was defended by the physician, who, however, disclaimed the right to administer a lethal dose that would cause immediate death. Mental and physical defectives' lives should not be prolonged, the physician said.

Several cases were cited in support of the theory of painless death, one being the case of a ten-year-old girl who is only a living organism and can utter only two words.

GREAT QUANTITIES OF FOOD FOUND

New York, Nov. 11.—Secret service men have discovered food stored away in warehouses here of a value of $75,000,000, which has never been reported to the government, and the authorities say that this is but a small part of what will be discovered under the search which is being carried on under the trade with-the enemy act.

KITTERY

Kittery, Nov. 12.—Twelve members of the Nipsic Campfire Girls and their guardians went to Exeter on Saturday to attend the Grand Council meeting of Rockingham County Campfire Girls. Those attending were Miss Annah Remick of Wethuen; Mrs. Charles Gray, Misses Winnie Converse, Alice Patch, Mildred Gerry, Phyllis Gray, Sadie Bowden, Mildred Becker, Elizabeth Cutts, Caroline Cutts, Bernice Farrington, Sarah Damon and Mildred Cole of Kittery and Miss Marion Gray of Portsmouth. Included in the program of the evening was a reading entitled "Lady Wentworth," by Miss Elizabeth Cutts. The girls all report a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blaisdell and daughter, Miss Alma Blaisdell of York, passed Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baker of Love lane.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Swett of Love lane, went to Dorchester, Mass., on Saturday for a visit.

A daughter, Dorothy Aura, was born on Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Higgins of South Eliot, formerly of Kittery.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Webber of Manchester are in town to attend the funeral of the former's brother, Leon C. Webber.

Mrs. Annie Howes has concluded her duties at the home of Miss Lucy Manson at North Kittery, and is passing a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Paul of Stimson street.

Miss Carrie Paul has returned from a visit of several weeks with relatives in Bloomfield, Maine.

N. Lindley Morrow of Rogers road passed the week-end in Boston.

Fred E. Fernald, a former Kittery boy, now employed in Boston, has been drafted into the army and goes today to the training camp at Ayer.

Riverside Lodge of Odd Fellows will meet tonight and the first degree will be conferred on a class of candidates.

The members of York Rebekah Lodge will hold an entertainment and sale on Friday evening at Wentworth hall.

The Catholic Society will have a whist party and dance this evening at Wentworth hall.

Leroy D. Keene of New Hampshire college passed Sunday at his home here.

Mrs. Ida Abbott has returned to her home in Rochester after a few days' visit with her cousin, Mrs. Clarence Woodard.

Charles Rudolph, U. S. N., is passing a few days in town with his family.

J. F. O'Donnell passed the week-end in Manchester.

James Dwyer of Boston passed the week-end in town with his family.

Rev. J. F. Jenner and son Horace passed Saturday in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. William Morse of Stratham passed Sunday in town with relatives.

Floyd Walker of Beverly, Mass., was the guest over Sunday of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hylon Walker.

The Kittery, Eliot and York Sunday School convention will be held at York Village on Wednesday.

Rev. F. J. Scott of Portsmouth was a visitor in town Sunday afternoon.

Miss Helen Chesley of Government street has concluded her duties in Portsmouth.

Miss Lena Blaisdell of North Berwick was the guest on Sunday of her aunt, Mrs. James Gerry of Commercial street.

Ensign Philip Webber, U. S. N., was the week-end guest of his family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Trefethen were visitors in Rye on Sunday.

The funeral of the late Charles Chickering, a native of Kittery, which was held from the Second Methodist church last Friday, brought many old time friends and acquaintances to this house of worship to pay the last tribute of respect to a man much esteemed in life. The service was conducted by Rev. D. F. Faulkner of South Paris, Me., a former pastor of the church, assisted by the present pastor. This was followed by the Odd Fellows' service by Riverside Lodge and the G. A. R. service by the E. G. Parker Post. Deceased was born in Kittery, March 22, 1803, but has resided in Cambridge, Mass., for many years, where his death occurred. Mr. Chickering served with a most excellent record in the Civil war from 1861 to 1866 and took part in the engagements of Bull Run, Gettysburg and many others which made history for the Union. He served his native town as selectman and in other offices and held a position at the Portsmouth navy yard. His last work was at the Middlesex house of correction where he served as engineer of the institution at Cambridge. He was a charter member of Dirigo Encampment of Kittery, and charter member and first Noble Grand of Riverside Lodge of Odd Fellows. He was also a member of the P. Stearns Davis Post, G. A. R. of Cambridge and took great interest in all Grand Army matters. He is survived by his wife, three sons, one daughter and four sisters.

D. G. C. Nowell has received word that G. C. Roy C. Haines of Elsworth, G. V. C. Clarence R. Webber of Biddeford, and G. K. R. S. Edgar J. Brown of Waterville will be present at the K. of P. District meeting at South Berwick Wednesday evening.

RELIGION TO SAVE HOLY RUSSIA

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 11—High hopes for the reestablishment of the Kerensky government in Russia prevail in both the state departments at the Russian embassy. It has become known that the state department received despatches last week showing that there was a religious upheaval in Russia and that a great effort is being made to save Holy Russia from the radicals. Over 500,000 soldiers have been pledged to save the country from the radical socialists government.

TICKET OFFICES ARE ENTERED

Dover, Nov. 12—The railroad stations at Durham and Madbury were entered some time Saturday night. In both places entrance was gained by forcing a window.

At Durham it was apparent that the robbers tried to blow the safe, as the combination was broken off. The telephone booth and gum machines were ransacked and a considerable sum of money was stolen. No tickets or money were missing from the ticket office.

The station agent at Madbury reports to the police that $12 was stolen and also that the gum machines and telephone booths were rifled. It is thought that some tickets and mileages are missing also.

ALLIES ARE MAKING STEADY PROGRESS

London, Nov. 11.—Wherever British or French forces are engaged, this week has been a success. In Flanders, in France, in Palestine, in Mesopotamia, there have been victories which, had it not been for the attention absorbed by the political events in Russia and the reverses on the Italian front, would have been regarded as important steps toward the final defeat of Germany. Even Russian soldiers far from the contaminations of Petrograd have made another forward move along the coast of the Black Sea which argues ill for the resistance of Turkish armies.

Of Italy there is little to add to what was said last week in these dispatches, when, referring to General Cadorna's three successive lines of defence, I showed that the Tagliamento was much weaker than the Plave, was nearer the Italian base of supplies and had an excellent disturbing centre in Treviso. This view was confirmed on Wednesday by the Rome correspondent of the Paris Matin, who stated that the new Italian line of defence would run along the course of the Plave, where Franco-British forces were expected to participate in the coming gigantic battle.

The capture of Asiago, announced this afternoon from Berlin, is a threat to the rear of the armies on the Plave, and to Vicenza, about thirty miles further south. Asiago was the objective of the Austrians last year, when they came down through the Dolomites. At that time they were easily repulsed. It is situated in a small elevated plain, whence the land on the south again rises to formidable rocky ridges. The nearest railroad terminus is at Arsiero, ten miles to the southwest, approachable only by mountainous roads and with the Astico River to cross.

Venice is less than twenty miles away from the mouth of the Plave, and no doubt the most desperate efforts will be made to save the Queen of the Adriatic from capture and its vast treasures of art from desecration and looting by the barbarous Huns. A cheerful feeling has succeeded the despondency of the earlier part of the week, according to all reports from Italian headquarters and the arrival of the French and British has inspired the Italians with new courage.

The outstanding event of the week in Flanders is of course the capture of Passchendaele, the last hill of any consequence overlooking the plain between Roulers, Thourout and the Belgian coast. This was the work of Canadian troops, who in less than two hours had crossed the crest of the ridge and pushed forward half a mile beyond the town, in one of the most brilliant minor actions of the war. This, with today's reported advance, brings the British within two miles and a half of Roulers and the vital Lille-Ostend railway.

To the northwest the British overlook Houthulst Wood, which is partly held by the French; and Dixmude, on the edge of the flooded area, where the Belgians are harassing the enemy by nightly raids. All three armies are moving steadily toward the coast. Light railroads are immediately laid to the forward positions, and supplies brought up for a new advance. The Germans have no choice but retreat, and their hold on the coast is doomed.

An important development of the campaign in Palestine, which cannot fail to have its effect on the Mohammedan world, was the capture of Gaza and Askalon by the British, following their occupation of Beersheba. Both wings have joined and are now beyond the Wadi Hesi, the Turks retiring toward Hebron, twenty-four miles south of Jerusalem. They have advanced thirteen miles in the last two weeks. A railroad is being built as they progress and a fresh water pipe line is being laid to the new front.

Naval vessels are aiding in the advance along the Mediterranean coast, shelling the Turks as they retreat north. No serious resistance is expected until the line of the railroad from Jaffa to Jerusalem is reached. Anticipating the conquest of Palestine, the Jewish world is already aroused to the possibility of re-establishing their ancient domain, which has been the aspiration of the Zionist movement. Mr. Balfour's letter to Lord Rothschild favoring the project, with the approval of the British cabinet, has brought forth columns of comment. The Manchester Guardian yesterday proposed a British-American protectorate as one solution of the problem of government for the Holy Land.

KITTERY POINT

Kittery Point, Nov. 12—Mrs. Helen Seaward returned to her home on Sunday after visiting relatives in Boston for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Frisbee and family motored to Boston on Sunday and passed the day.

Roland Phillips has returned to his home after visiting in Boston the past week.

A meeting of the Red Cross workers will be held at the home of Mrs. Oscar Clark on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Leroy Bridges returned to her home on the Harbor road after spending a week with relatives in Boston.

The Sewing Bee connected with the Bible class of the First Christian church will meet to sew all day Thursday with Mrs. N. E. Emery.

The Eliot, Kittery and York Sunday school convention will meet on Wednesday at the Congregational church at York Corner, Nov. 14.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will meet on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Ernest Hoyt.

Rev. Winnifred T. Coffin, son Leon and daughter Rachel were visitors in Boston on Sunday spending the day with friends.

Miss Ida Blaisdell of Portsmouth visited friends in town on Sunday.

John Tobey of Bunkin Island spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs Charles Tobey of the Harbor road.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cavanaugh and children passed Sunday with relatives in Lee, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Eliot Knowles of Gloucester, Mass., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Handorf.

Moses Randall who has been confined to his home by illness for the past week is now able to be about the house.

IF BACK HURTS! BEGIN ON SALTS

FLUSH YOUR KIDNEYS OCCASIONALLY IF YOU EAT MEAT REGULARLY.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sense of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which all regular meat eaters should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.

BOY TOOL OF BLACKMAILERS

(By Associated Press)

Boston, Nov. 11.—Harry Bass, the 16 year old youth, who shot down Emile Knabe, the butler of Mrs. Horatio N. Slater, Saturday, in his search for Mrs. Slater who he said he wanted to kill, is thought by the police to be the tool of blackmailers. They stated that they have letters written by blackhand operators threatening Mrs. Slater. Bass is being held for the Juvenile court to see the result of Knabe's injuries.

"TURN TO THE RIGHT!" THE MOTHER-LOVE PLAY

"Turn to the Right!" now in its eleventh week at the Tremont Theatre, Boston, has reached the warmest place in the heart of New England with the happiest, home-test, humanest love story of motherhood that ever came to the American stage. Lovely Ruth Chester, who plays the role of the sweet little old lady in the famous comedy by Winchell Smith and John E. Hazzard, is fairly bringing the old home and the endearing ideal of the best mother in the world back to every grown-up in the audiences that crowd the Tremont; for she embodies "a presence to touch an answering heart string" in every mother's son and daughter, in a play packed full of romance, laughter, and clever, quick-fire incident and surprises, beside.

If you know what it is to have a good mother or if you are homesick for one, go see how it feels to be mothered by "Ma" Bascom in "Turn to the Right!" Walk right into the Bascom kitchen, where "Ma" Bascom is making peach jam and hoping for Providence to help her see a way to pay the mortgage on the farm, and come under the spell of the most intimate heart-throb, the biggest laugh, and the wholesomest stage story of the season.

"Turn to the Right!" in the third month of its Boston run, is still the most important offering of the season for the whole New England public and making new records for popularity with hosts of theatre parties from nearby towns, all taking their way to the Tremont Theatre. There will be a special matinee for Thanksgiving day, for which seats are already selling briskly. "Turn to the Right" will not be seen in any other New England city outside of Boston this year, and seats are now on sale for all performances up to and including Saturday evening, Dec. 1.

OLD POOR FARM DESTROYED BY FIRE

Salisbury, Nov. 12—The buildings on the estate which was formerly the Salisbury poor farm were destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon, the loss being placed at about $3500. The main building has long been considered a landmark in this vicinity.

The blaze originated from cause unknown in the main building about 2 p. m. while the owner of the estate, Michael Campbell, was at work in an outbuilding. He discovered the fire and telephoned an alarm but as the farm is about one and one-half miles from the town, near the Salisbury-Amesbury line, the flames had made great headway before the fire apparatus from these two towns arrived.

The residence, a barn and a large store shed were destroyed with their contents which included $200 in bank notes. Mrs Campbell drew this sum from the bank last Saturday, and intended to pay some bills.

The estate was sold to Mr. Campbell a former Newburyport resident, several years ago and had been used as a town institution for nearly 20 years.

EXETER

Exeter, Nov. 12—The Camp Fire Girls of Rockingham county held a grand council here Saturday, when about 20 Camp Fires were represented, comprising about 150 girls. The girls arrived early in the afternoon, and at 5.30 o'clock in the evening were entertained at supper in the Baptist vestry by the Exeter Camp Fire Girls. In the evening at the town hall a grand council was held for the benefit of the war relief work. The program consisted of the ritual work of the Camp Fire, and Camp Fire motion songs sung. Each group gave a short entertainment in the form of folk dances, pageant, tableaux, and first aid demonstrations. Miss Edith Kempthorne, national field secretary, addressed the girls. Miss Grace R. Lamson acted as piano accompanist. The candle drill was given by the Salem Camp Fire, a scenic reading by Rye; Camp Fire Girls in war and peace by Winnicummett of Exeter; law of the fire in pantomime by Newton; first aid demonstrations by Newmarket; when dreams come true by West Hampstead; tableaux of seven crafts, Iyatoki of Exeter; Lady Wentworth of Kittery; pageant, "America," by the Camp Fires of Portsmouth.

The news of the death at Concord of George N. Gardner, son of Mrs. John E. Gardner of Exeter, was received here Saturday. Mr. Gardner was born in Exeter, July 27, 1888, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Gardner, and received his early education in the Exeter public schools, later attending the Phillips Exeter academy, being a member of the class of 1906. He was graduated from the Lawrence Scientific school of Harvard in 1910, and was later engaged as an electrical engineer. Ill health forced him to return to Exeter last year. He is survived by a mother; a brother, Perley Gardner of the law firm of Eastman, Scammon and Gardner of Exeter; and another brother, John E. Gardner, Jr., of Chicago; besides a daughter. The body will be brought to Exeter for funeral and burial.

Rev. Otis Cole of Haverhill, Mass., preached at the Methodist church yesterday morning in the place of the pastor, Rev. John D. Leach, who is absent for two weeks.

At the First Congregational church Rev. Joseph N. Haskell of the Fiske university of Memphis, Tenn., preached.

At the Baptist church, Rev. Charles A. Towne of Haverhill, Mass., was the preacher.

Mr. and Mrs. William Goff of Providence, R. I., and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Berkerley of Limington, Me., are guests registered at the Squamscott house for an indefinite period. The former are visiting their son, who is a student at the academy.

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BAKERS TO BE PUT UNDER LICENSE

Bread to be Standardized and Reductions of Price Expected--President's Proclamation to Be Made Today

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 11.—Definite steps to standardize and it is thought, lower the price of bread, will be taken when tomorrow President Wilson will issue a proclamation placing all bakeries under a government license after December 10.

The price will not be fixed but it is expected that the natural competition will reduce the present prices as under the new standard bread will be made cheaper. The sizes will include one pound, a pound and a half, two, three and four pounds, all loafs to be creased in the middle so that a half a loaf may be sold.

Only three pounds of sugar to each barrel of flour will be permitted where formerly six pounds were used and the bakers will have to use two ponuds of vegetable fat for shortening, where formerly six pounds of lard was used. Bakers will use skimmed milk and rolls will be made only of a standard size.

A suggestion has been made for the better distribution of the bread from the wholesalers to the dealers and consumers. In the "cash and carry" plan bread can be made at a profit much less than now.

RED TRIANGLE CAMPAIGN STARTS

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week in the big drive for Portsmouth's quota which is based upon the apportionment of 75 cents per inhabitant of the city, making this city's quota at least $8,000. He said that Portsmouth had always responded, to every call and this would be no exception.

The first speaker was Prof. Richard Whorlskey of New Hampshire College, who was in Germany at the time the war broke out, and who has been very active since his return in all patriotic work. He said in part:

"Last summer I had the opportunity of talking to several sailors stationed at Portsmouth. I asked them how the people of Portsmouth were treating them and there was not one who did not say, 'Everybody here treats us splendidly; in fact Portsmouth is a great deal more hospitable than Newport, where we were first stationed.' Again in the fall of 1914 when I returned from Germany I gave a talk at the Warwick Club. A friend from Louisiana accompanied me. It was his first trip to New England. As we drove home he said to me, 'Professor, I do believe I have had the most pleasing hospitality I have ever had.' You may imagine how keenly interested I am in Portsmouth, for I am confident that Portsmouth is second to no city in the hospitality and the generosity of its citizens.

"When war was declared in Aug. 1914 and I saw the German troops moving by the thousands toward France, one thought beset me, 'Poor France.' Today as I look back on the years, the months, the weeks, the days of this terrible war, my thought is, 'Noble, heroic, marvellous France! Not in vain have thy sons given their lives in resisting the invaders of thy fertile fields! Not in vain has thy wall of steel stood steadfast against the powers that would dominate the world! Not in vain have thy women suffered the tortures of hell, as they supported thee! For thou hast won immortal fame and thou shalt stand for all time the guiding star of Liberty, Equality and Fraternity.'

"What shall I say of Russia? Last Monday I heard John Mott say 'Russia has lost 2,000,000 men killed, 4,000,000 wounded, 2,500,000 prisoners up to date.' Do you wonder that they are war tired? Russia has accomplished the most successful revolution the world has ever known. Their ideals were taken from us. Shall we lose confidence in this great country. No, I say, a thousand times, No, for I feel more confident this very minute of Russia's coming through successfully than ever before. Yes, even though the present government is overthrown, and others to follow it are overthrown.

"You ask about Italy. This is Italy's hour of trial. The allies must and can and will save her. The Italians have fought well, and buoyed up by the English and French will soon be taking the offensive.

"The Red Triangle is everywhere, in all the training camps in the U. S. and at all the navy stations, on all the large war vessels, where men are fighting, on the western front, on the eastern front, on the Italian front, in Mesopotamia and in the Balkans. Doing what? Building huts, where the tired soldiers may go in and rest, perhaps read a magazine or book, write a letter home, play games or just simply sit down and talk. Besides these huts are in charge of specially fitted men whose business is to cheer up depressed fellows. Don't you feel glad that the U. S. stands pre-eminent in this line. Suppose you have a son or brother, or suppose it is simply a boy from Portsmouth. What sacrifice will you not make to have these huts available. I have visited Camp Devens and seen the 9 huts established by the Red Triangle. Everyday I receive a letter with the insignia of the Y. M. C. A. from former students now in the army or navy and I say 'Great America.'

"A significant thing is that Russia, Italy and France have asked the Y. M. C. A. to send several hundred more men to their fronts, for it is feared that the morale of the men is breaking. $35,000,000 dollars is being raised throughout the country, New Hampshire is asked to raise $300,000 dollars, Portsmouth is asked to raise $8,000 Good people, there are twenty times as many men engaged in this world war as in the Napoleonic wars. Pres. Wilson has said Germany has sent forth a challenge to humanity, no other choice is left to us. The Red Triangle keeps men from going to places where they would get venereal diseases, it keeps them fit physically, it affords them diversion when they are off duty. Does anybody know a greater cause to which they can contribute?

Clear as a bugle on the night
The call has come to peoples free!
Might shall not triumph over right
Nor shame enfold our destiny!

Not by oppression have we grown
To this proud state, in this fair land
But by the might of love alone
That walks with Justice, hand in hand.

And as, to save our souls from shame,
Our fathers trod the paths of fire;
Breathe, Lord, into our hearts the flame
That welded theirs to Thy Desire!

Ah! never can their glory die!
Because it is Thy Glory's sheen!
So let us ever hold on high
The visions that our seers have seen.

All that we are, all that we own,
All that we dream or hope or pray,
Help us to give, that we bequeath
An heritage as bright as they.

We may not fail! We must not fail!
All that we dream or hope or pray,
Help us to fling into the scale
Because our Country calls today!

Principal Perry of Exeter Academy was the other speaker and he devoted his time to the great work that is being done by the Red Triangle (Y. M. C. A.) in all parts of the country at the war camps, and in England and along the battle front of France and Belgium He spoke of the great need that the young men of the country so far away from home and all home environments had for a place where they would get a touch of home.

In France he said that they were turned loose with more money from an ordinary pay day than some of the higher European officers get and with champaign and other wines so cheap it is no wonder they are subject to the greatest temptation. The Y. M. C. A. sought by having a place where the men could go to overcome this restless spirit and they at all times kept the men in touch with home conditions which in itself has a tendency to make them look more carefully into their morals

The Aeolin quartette sang several selections in their usual fine style and the meeting closed with the singing of America, led by the naval orchestra which furnished the music.

BENEFIT OF NAVY SERVICE

A very successful card party was held at the home of Mrs. A. C. Herfonger on Austin street Saturday afternoon for the benefit of the Navy Service, formerly the Navy League. There was a large attendance and the proceeds will be used in securing supplies such as yarn etc for the sailors.

GERMANS ARE NOT IN FINLAND

London, Nov. 11.—Dispatches from Scandinavian ports state that the report of the landing of Germans in Aland Island and the capture of the Finland city of Helsingfors. Trawler captains returning from the Finland bay report that they did not see any Germans or anything out of the ordinary.

QUEEN OF HAWAII DEAD

Honolulu, Nov. 11.—Ex-Queen Liliuokalani of Hawaii died this morning. She has been ill for some time and her death has been hourly expected. Preparations have been made for the funeral and for the body to lie in state with a guard of territorials.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS MEET IN EXETER

The Campfire Girls of Rockingham County Saturday evening held a council fire at Town Hall, with 17 groups represented, six from Portsmouth, two each from Hampstead, Salem and Exeter and one each from Newmarket, Newton, Raymond, Rye and Kittery, Me.

Miss Edith Kempthorne of New York, National field secretary, gave an address. The closing number was the pageant, "America," by the combined Portsmouth groups. Miss Grace R. Lainson was the pianist.

The girls were entertained at private homes over night and Sunday morning attended the Baptist church in a body.

PEOPLES' OPINIONS.

COL. BARTLETT GIVES ALL HIS TIME TO THE WAR WORK

An open letter.

Hon. Samuel T. Ladd, Mayor of the City of Portsmouth:—

My Dear Mayor Ladd:—The only reason I write you this letter is that I may thus through you speak to my friends and fellow-citizens with reference to a letter, also addressed to you, and published. This letter was not sent to me at all before of since, neither had the alleged writers of the alleged letter ever spoken to me a single word of complaint about the subject matter thereof. My first and only knowledge of it came to me through the press on my return from a speaking trip in the interests of the Great War to which I have given up all my time since it cast its terrible shadow upon us all. My next information with reference to this alleged letter was that the husband of one of the signers, a well known political and personal enemy, had been busy in my absence trying to make political capital out of it. This, taken in connection with the fact that it is well known that I simply own a minority, but not control, of the stock of the Allied Theatre Company, and have nothing whatever to do with the actual managing of the theatres, and that my name alone in this public letter was singled out of four owners, who were not mentioned, is conclusive that the methods adopted were intended as a political mud at me. My first impulse was to utterly ignore it, and keep steadily working almost day and night on the "Y. M. C. A. Red Triangle War Fund which, by appointment coming direct down from the National authorities, I am supervising the Rockingham District. I believe most, if not all, of these few ladies have been misled and misinformed with reference to the subject matter of the alleged letter. It is certain that the letter is inaccurate. Neither do I believe that most of them intend to injure me, or dreamed they were doing so, when they lent themselves to this most adroit piece of political propaganda. But the fact, nevertheless, remains that it does hurt me personally, and that, unless I at once nail the thing, it might gradually sink into the minds of many uninformed and my good name, which I must guard and fight for if necessary, be thus stealthily undermined. The German methods of propaganda in Russia or Mexico do not surpass the political intrigue of certain politicians.

Now, although I am a minority stockholder, yet so far as my efforts go, I have in the past, will now, and in the future, do all I possibly can to keep amusements clean, instructive and educational. You know that to be true and ninety-nine percent of our good people know it. Your prompt letter to the manager of the Colonial Theatre saying that you had seen the play in question and that you heartily approved of it as teaching a strong moral lesson was gratifying. I understand that only one of the ladies who signed the letter had seen the play ("The Unborn Child") and that she, after seeing it, highly recommended its great lesson.

The Allied Theatre Co. runs no pictures at all that are not manufactured by the standard picture concerns of the country and passed upon favorably by the "National Board of Censors." Do these ladies realize that fact? It is true, absolutely true. Furthermore, they run no pictures that are not run everywhere, in every first class town and city in the United States. Do they realize this fact also? Reports to the contrary are false and malicious. They also run the same shows that are run in the best cities. Our Portsmouth vaudeville is the standard Keith Circuit vaudeville. That is true also. Furthermore we run the same pictures that the Y. M. C. A. run in all the war cantonments in this country with the approval of the authorities. Do they know this? It is absolutely true.

The harm and error in the alleged letter in question, in which my name alone is maliciously coupled, is that it gives the impression that something is being done in Portsmouth different from what is done, and approved, in other places where there are soldiers and reservists. That is not true.

To all these things we invite your careful and constant scrutiny. Personally I believe our good people do not like to have the name of the city dragged in the mire wrongfully quite so often. I believe we have a good city of good citizens who have done as much for those "temporarily within our gates" as any city in the United States.

In line with what I have said and because of this attempt to hurt me personally and politically perhaps I will be pardoned for mentioning what otherwise modesty would lead me to withhold, namely:

Since the war began the Allied Theatre Co. has given to the Red Cross over one thousand dollars in money. When the Red Cross ladies were obliged to stop their work unless they had money, they came to the Allied Theatre Co., and two of three Sunday night benefits produced the necessary funds; and all expenses, pictures, rent, help, tax and all, was given by the company.

The Company has assisted the army and navy workers in getting pictures and vaudeville, has invited many of the boys in parties, and has done everything possible to help them and make it pleasant for them.

Whenever any War Meeting has been held in this city, and there have been many, the Theatre Company has given free use of its houses and paid all expenses incident thereto. This has been for ladies meeting as well as others. The Girls' League, at the request of one of the very ladies whose name purports to be signed to the letter in question, is now using, free gratis, for drilling, one of the theatres of this Company. Pierce Hall. Mrs. Barrett Wendell also asked for the use of this hall for this purpose.

At the request of the national administration this Company has run free of charge hundreds of dollars worth of advertising for war purposes and objects. It has cooperated in the four minute speeches for war purposes, has helped to sell bonds and is now helping on the Y. M. C. A. war fund.

To be a little personal I may be pardoned for saying that I have nearly worked myself sick on war work matters since the war began. I have practically given up my law practice to help in this war what I could. And I am going to stick it out till the war is over, or I am wholly used up physically. I started out with the recruiting squadron in the cold early spring, making three or four out-door speeches a day, and kept it up to the end. I have seen as many boys stand up in meetings and volunteer amidst applause and tears as anyone in the state. I know these boys. I would do anything in this world to help them and they all know it. I supervised the Red Cross work in this county, and have been in both Liberty loan drives. I think I have made about sixty speeches in this state on war subjects, and in every case it has been without pay, and I have paid my own expenses. I do not care to state how much I have personally contributed in money, except that it is more than all my critics combined.

I trust I have the interests of the city of Portsmouth, the state, and nation at heart, but I do not expect to get along without enemies. Sometimes they are a credit to a person. For the sake of myself and my family, who have as high ideals of honor as any in the city, and for the sake of my friends, who know me and believe in me, I cannot allow any person to assail my name or conduct by innuendos or otherwise, without appealing to the public sense of fair play to right the wrong. I have seen fit in this letter not to attack back the chief intrigues in this propaganda, nor disclose the personal and political motives hid behind it. Those may have to come later. It is a time when we should be at peace with each other, and bend all our energies to defeating an enemy which would "butcher us all like cattle" if he got a chance. Moreover it is too early to be drawn into a political campaign.

Yours with much respect,

JOHN H. BARTLETT.

MEETING AT GREENLAND

A meeting to start the Y. M. C. A. campaign for the Red Triangle work was held at the Greenland town hall on Sunday evening and there was a large attendance.

Principal F. P. Dunfield of the Portsmouth high school made the principal address, talking on the lines of work that is being done by the Red Triangle for the men in the camps and in the field.

Rev. Mr. Lambert also spoke along the same lines and of the great need that every aid be given this organization in carrying on the work.

Read the Portsmouth Herald if you want to keep posted on the local happenings.

KERENSKY MAY SOON BE BACK IN POWER

(By Associated Press)

Apparently the Bolsheviki uprising in Petrograd is nearing its end and that Premier Kerensky may soon be again in power and greatly strengthened.

The latest news is that the revolutionists have been defeated in Moscow and that Kerensky at the head of the loyal troops is at Tsarskoe-Sele where the revolutionists have been defeated and that town fifteen miles from Petrograd are fleeing to Petrograd in a disorderly mode.

Street fighting is reported in Petrograd in which the loyal Cossacks seem to be leading. In an effort to keep the Kerensky forces out of Petrograd the rails of the Galzhino railroad are being torn up. Kerensky is reported to be rapidly advancing at the head of upwards of 200,000 troops all seasoned fighters and loyal to good government.

To add to the troubles a state of war has been declared in Finland and the governor general dismissed and a sailor is at the head.

On the Italian front the Italian line has stiffened especially on the north, where the French and British reinforcements are doing wonders for the moral of the Italians. Even the German war office has failed to report any advance of their lines and at Asiago, captured by the Germans, the Italians have in counter attacks regained part of the ground and have taken German prisoners.

On the Piave river the Italians are holding their own, although they were obliged to give up the Lozenrago bridgehead.

The Germans Sunday made no attempt to regain any of the ground gained by the British in their advance of Saturday in Belgium. In the Vosges the French repulsed a violent attack by the Germans who attacking in force, secured a position in the front line trenches but were driven out with considerable loss.

In Palestine the British under Gen. Allehby continued to advance driving the Turks before them. During the last week they have taken several villages from the Turks on the 600 mile battle front!

KING GEORGE RECEIVES COL. HOUSE

(By Associated Press)

London, Nov. 11.—King George today received Col. E. M. House the head of the American mission, in a conference.

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Portsmouth, N. H., Monday, November 12, 1917.

A Sensible Project.

In its news columns this paper has called attention to the project of establishing in this city a credit bureau to be known as the Portsmouth Chamber of Commerce Credit Bureau, and outlined the work the bureau will do if it is established as projected. The movement should be of prime interest to the merchants of the city and it will be strange if they do not support it heartily.

To put the matter briefly and bluntly, the design of the Credit Bureau is to protect the merchants of the city against dead beats. There are too many people in this and every other city who do not hesitate to run store bills which they never intend to pay, at least in full, and it is this class that have caused credit bureaus and associations to be established in many of the cities of the country.

The Herald has more than once bemoaned the fact that the credit system has been carried altogether too far. Credit has its place in business affairs and it would be folly to attempt to abolish it entirely, but if the abuses—for which merchants and their patrons are about equally to blame—could be lopped off greatly improved conditions would ensue.

But the creation of a Credit Bureau here is not for the purpose of dealing with the credit system, as such. It is designed solely for the protection of merchants against those who buy without intending to pay. Such protection is needed and will be provided by the movement started here if it is carried to completion, as it ought to be.

The procedure will be simple, but effectual. The people of the city who are in the habit of asking for credit at the stores will be given ratings and the merchants will have lists to which they can refer when asked to open accounts with people they do not know. The whole business will be entirely confidential and the reputation of no person will be injured; but the merchants will be in a position to know what kind of people they are dealing with and will avoid the loss of many bad accounts in the course of the year.

There is no ground for complaint against this action. It will not trouble or inconvenience in any way those who pay their bills, and those who do not pay will have no right to complain. It is not a matter of sentiment or of theory. It is purely a matter of business and of placing business on a business basis.

The movement ought to succeed. It will injure no one and the benefits will be widespread. The fewer bad bills a merchant has the better he can do by his patrons, and for this reason the non-payment of store bills affects every honest man and woman in the community.

It looks like a new bridge between this city and Kittery in the not distant future. The Maine and New Hampshire joint commission has taken the first step in deciding to recommend to the legislatures of the two states the erection of a new and up-to-date bridge and it is highly probable that this will be provided for. And it ought to be built and maintained without exacting tolls from those who use it.

The Portsmouth Lodge of Elks has a right to be proud of the service flag which floats in front of its home. It bears 73 stars, with two more to be added, showing that the organization has this number of men in the army and navy. It is doubtful if any lodge of its size in the country has a better record.

Have you noticed how soon the Louisiana planters discovered that their sugar crop was short after the pinch came and they had promised early relief? But of course they are not responsible for the recent "cold snap." It is to be hoped they are not looking for another kind of "snap."

The burning of wood, as advocated in some quarters, might save coal, but at present prices it is a question whether it would save money. Owners of wood lots indulge in no "bear sleeps" when the price of coal is at the top notch.

The razing of the Sea View hotel at Rye Beach will make a decided change there, but change is the order of the day as never before. The hotel furniture has been sold and the building will soon be among the things that were.

The fact that a few Liberty bonds have changed hands on the New York "curb" at par is considered important enough to be heralded to the world through the Associated Press. But why shouldn't these bonds sell at par if they are sold at all?

The idea of using lake ships, which are tied up during the winter, for housing workmen at shipyards where there is a lack of housing accommodations does not seem half as wild as many that are advanced in this time of stress.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Girls Taking Places of Boys

(From the Manchester Mirror)

The scarcity of male help throughout the country as the result of the war has led to the employment of women and girls in many capacities which they have not heretofore generally filled, but not all of the changes have been caused by war conditions, as instances are being reported where girls have been given places in preference to boys, because they render better service.

Recently in Kansas City 14 girls took the places of as many boys in running the elevators of a big department store, simply because the girls were found to be more efficient and alert for such work and more pleasing to the store's customers.

Girls have also established their efficiency as telegraph messengers, and it wouldt seem that it is incumbent upon boys to address themselves to the task of cultivating efficiency and courteous conduct if they would equal the service that the girls are giving.

A Public-Spirited Plan

(From Current Affairs.)

In no better way can the necessity for conserving our local supply of coal be impressed upon the public of Boston than by the method to be adopted today by the members of the Retail Trade Board, who will henceforth give the public the unusual spectacle of a shopping distr t in darkness.

In a concerted effort to reduce their consumption of electricity, and hence to reduce the community's consumption of coal, these retailers are taking four steps which will not mean any appreciable saving to themselves, b t which will, on the other hand, tend to reduce their volume of trade through doing away with the valuable advertising gained through illuminating show-windows at night. Commendation is a mild word to apply to what they are planning to do.

James J. Storrow, New England Fuel Administrator, has paid them a far subtler compliment than mere praise. He is going to point out the action of the Retail Trade Board as an example which may well be followed in all other cities in New England.

New Hampshire Dairymen

(From the Boston Herald)

Dairymen in all parts of the state should be interested in the dairy show to be held at Laconia in December at the time of the annual meeting there of the Granite State Dairymen's association. The show will be held three days and will be the largest of the kind in the history of the state. Suitable prizes will be awarded for the best exhibits and the dairying interests in every part of the state should be well represented.

Bears and Men.

(From the Claremont Eagle)

Up in Bethel, Vt., this week, a man was shot because he walked home through the woods where another man was hunting for bear. Of course if a man is hunting for bear he is 90 per cent sure that any large, dark object he sees moving in the woods is a bear—and he bangs away at it to make sure he's right. Sometimes he isn't.

The Goose Bone.

(From the Laconia Democrat)

The New Hampshire weather-forecasters who have examined the breast bone of the goose are unanimous in the prediction that we are going to have a mild and open winter.

Cut Out the "Pension Sharks!"

(From the New York Herald)

Officials of the Treasury Department assert that there is no necessity whatsoever for beneficiaries under the Soldiers' insurance act calling in the services of lawyers in order to obtain payment. Secretary McAdoo should go further and issue a strong and emphatic statement to that effect, with a view to protecting the people from the type of lawyer that before the enactment of workmen's compensation laws made a specialty of "ambulance chasing." While the law recognizes that a fee may be paid to a lawyer for aid rendered the beneficiary under it, there is no earthly reason why a lawyer should be called in, and it is the duty of the department responsible for its administration to make this clear.

In framing the law Southern Senators and Representatives might well have followed the lead of the Legislatures of most if not all of the Southern States in their laws providing pensions for needy Confederate veterans. The action of those states in taking it upon themselves to care for those men who wore the gray in the sixties is something of which they rightly have been proud. One of the most admirable features of the southern pension systems is provision that no claim shall receive consideration if presented by a lawyer. Beneficiaries are required to deal with the Pension Commissioners direct, and the results have been most satisfactory.

There has been general approval of the action of Congress in creating a system of insurance in lieu of the old pension system, which became a scandal through the activities of pension lawyers. There will be just as general approval of the administration of that feature of the law which provides benefits for the dependents of those who may lose their lives in France if drastic steps are taken to prevent lawyers fattening at the expense of persons who should receive the whole of whatever the govern has to give.

Salute the Red Triangle

A Plain Statement TO THE PUBLIC

IN asking support for the Red Triangle War Work, we give these facts showing why the money is required and how and where it will be spent:

Why: *From President Wilson's Executive Order:* "To unify the civilian betterment activities in the army, and to further the work of the organization that has demonstrated its ability to render a service desired by both officers and men, official recognition is hereby given the Young Men's Christian Association as a valuable adjunct and asset to the service. Officers are enjoined to render the fullest practicable assistance and co-operation in the maintenance and extension of the Association, both at permanent posts and stations and in camp and field."

How: At home, or overseas, wherever our soldiers go, Y. M. C. A. Red Triangle men and equipment go with them, with comfort for soul and body. In every training camp, prisoner of war camp, base, at the end of the long march, even in the front line trench, it gives cheer and good-fellowship, clean pleasure, wholesome surroundings, recreation, athletics, educational classes, movies, concerts, inspirational talks. It keeps home ties from breaking and makes better soldiers and better men. It is the only hope of seven million prisoners of war in all warring countries

Where: Work already started at home and overseas must be kept going and extended to give service to the rapidly increasing number under arms. The Y. M. C. A. is urgently asked by Governments to extend Red Triangle work into the French, Russian and Italian Armies. The needs and opportunities are great!

The Cost: Cyrus H. McCormick, of Chicago, Budget Chairman, says the following sums are required to June 30, 1918:

Army and Navy at home	$11,120,000
Army and Navy abroad	11,094,000
Army of France	2,640,000
Army of Russia	3,805,000
Army of Italy	1,000,000
Prisoner of War Camps	1,000,000
Extra for increasing costs, expansion, etc.	8,932,000
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No Immediate Peace for Russia

(From the New York World)

While the Maximalists who have seized control of Petrograd proclaim that they will move for an immediate peace, there is little chance of an immediate peace. No Government exists in Russia that can make a peace of any kind. There is no Government with the authority or power to speak for the Russian people or the Russian nation.

A Bolshevikist faction has engineered a revolt in the capital of Russia. But the Military Revolutionary Committee of the Central Council of Soldiers and Workmen's Deputies that overthrew the Provisional Government of which Kerensky was the head, may itself be turned out within three weeks. By the same methods that it came into power it may be dispossessed.

In the conditions of turbulence and civil strife that flourish in Petrograd nothing can be confidently predicted unless it be the reign of disorder. At the most, Petrograd and the political elements engaged in the struggle for domination there represent only a small part of the life and thought of Russia. Until a Government is erected on stable foundations that will have the ability to command obedience by force or otherwise and to restore domestic peace, who can sign a treaty of peace with Russia's enemies in Russia's name? A Trotzky-Lenine peace would be worth less to Germany than a scrap of paper.

Even though Russia continue in a state of upheaval, Russia will not be finally out of the war. The collapse of the Government and the demoralization of the Russian Armies have helped and heartened Germany, but the Kaiser will not dare strip his lines from the Baltic to the Black Sea of men and guns. He must stand on guard, for exhausted and impotent as it may appear at this moment, Russia will require watching.

Bolshevikist clamor for immediate peace is largely inspired by Berlin's agents, but Berlin knows better than to try to act upon it.

THREE KILLED IN TROOP TRAIN WRECK

(By Associated Press)

Denver, Colorado, Nov. 12—Three soldiers were killed and sixteen injured when a train was wrecked at Cotoraro, on the Denver and Rio Grande railroad today.

WIL LADDRESS THE HIGH SCHOOL BOYS

Lewis Perry, principal of Phillips-Exeter Academy, will speak to the boys at the Portsmouth high school on Tuesday morning on the work they are expected to do in the Red Triangle campaign. There will be a meeting of the team captains at the Y. M. C. A. at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Several Christmas boxes are being made up for the Portsmouth boys who are in France.

CAPTAINS OF Y. M. C. A. TEAMS ARE NAMED

The following persons have been designated as Y. M. C. A. team captains under Campaign Manager Frederick M. Sise, president of the Chamber of Commerce:

T. F. Flanagan, Navy Yard.
H. C. Taylor, Shoe Company.
H. T. Tilton, Morley Company.
R. L. Costello.
R. C. Dickey.
H. O. Prime.
Fred A. Gray.
Joseph Conner.
E. L. Chaney.

Each captain will select his own team workers.

Teams to be made up of about five men each, business section to be divided into districts, one district assigned to each team captain. One team of women to be utilized, under a woman captain, for work outside of business district. Meeting of above named men with their team workers to be held at Chamber of Commerce rooms at eight o'clock Tuesday evening.

Item of interest:—At meeting at the Colonial Theatre Sunday evening, the first contribution was received, this contribution being given without solicitation by a sailor from the navy yard. He not only stands in the position of offering his personal services to the country, but has seen the practical workings of the Y. M. C. A. in camp work and his contribution must be taken as evidence of his faith and belief in this work.

NAVY NOTES

Clothing for Winter.

The Navy Department has completed the shipment of heavy winter clothing to all sailors in Vice-Admiral Sims' command in European waters.

Clothing of a special make had to be furnished the men on the destroyers and other craft now in British and French waters because of the extreme cold.

Favored by Daniels.

The four million dollar fund being raised this week for the War Camp Community service will, in the opinion of Sec. Daniels, do its part toward making American fighting men more ideal types of the democracy they represent. The movement, he declared, cannot be supported too strongly.

Collier Arrives on Sunday.

The collier Sioux arrived on Sunday with a cargo of coal for the supply department.

Appointed Yeoman.

Mrs. Camilla Collins of this city has been appointed yeoman in the reserve corps and assigned to duty in the supply department.

Read the Want Ads.

DOVER FAMILY IN AUTO CRASH ESCAPE INJURY

Occupants Thrown When Truck Drops Over Culvert.

A Dover family had a narrow escape from serious injury Saturday night when the auto truck on which they were riding dropped over a six-foot embankment on the Dover road, near the Newington line.

Those on the truck were Joseph Harold Hanson, driver of the machine; Mrs. Florence Hanson, his wife, and Evelyn Florence Hanson, their ten-year-old daughter.

The accident occurred shortly after six o'clock. After passing the Four Corners at the Town line, Hanson attempted to turn out for C. A. Badger's team from Portsmouth, loaded with baled hay. The driver of the Badger team attempted to warn Hanson that the road was narrow and impossible to pass at this point, by holding out his hand. Hanson, not heeding the warning, bore down on the hay rack. When the Badger team was on the culvert where the accident occurred, Hanson tried to pass him, not seeing the drop over the culvert. The front wheels of the truck went over the abrupt drop. Mrs. Hanson and her daughter were thrown from the side on which they were sitting. Both sustained painful injuries. Hanson was saved from being thrown due to the fact that he was behind the wheel.

Mr. Badger was notified by his driver, and with his son went to the scene of the accident to offer assistance. He took the Hanson family to Dr. George Morgan's office in Dover. After examination the physician stated that neither Mrs. Hanson or her daughter were seriously injured.

Mrs. Hanson was in a highly nervous state today and was suffering from the effects of the accident. Miss Evelyn is suffering a painful injury behind the left ear and a severe shaking up. Mr. Manson was uninjured and able to assist in towing in his car today after it had been pulled back into the road. The radiator and front end of the truck was demolished in the accident.

FOOT BALL

The foot ball team from the U. S. S. Leonidas defeated the team from the Montana Saturday afternoon by a score of 6 to 0. It was a hard played game and Yukas, Sanborn and Brown doing good work for the winners, while Hines, Spring and Walton played a good game for the losing team.

The summary:

U. S. S. Leonidas	U. S. S. Montana
Sanborn, lee	re, Kingsbury
Munsinger, lt	rt, Dotty
Goss, lg	rg, Desomber
Postler, c	c, Pedlien
Linstrom, rg	lg, Harmon
	lg, Alexander
McClung, rt	lt, Richards
	lt, Lessner
Yukes, re	le, Perlian
Brown, qb	qb, Spring
Sunstrom, lhb	rhb, Hines
	rhb, Ridenburg
McIntyre, rhb	lhb, Walton
Laque, fb	fb, Smith
	fb, Orin

Score, U. S. Leonidas 6. Touchdown, Sanborn. Referee, Call. Umpire, W. Wieber. Linesmen, McCormick and Walker. Time, ten min. periods.

New Hampshire State Defeated Maine 27 to 0.

Headed by the college cadet band and 400 students, New Hampshire State at Dover Saturday, defeated University of Maine for the first time in history, 27 to 0. It was New Hampshire's big game of the season, and was played at Central Park before 2000 persons.

The Maine team usually was unable to make any headway against the strong New Hampshire line, but twice lost touchdowns by costly fumbles. Connors, New Hampshire's freshman fullback, scored 25 points. The first touchdown came in the first period, when Connors picked up a fumble and ran 40 yards for a touchdown.

The second was made on a 60-yard run from a successful forward pass. Twice in the last half Connors, against the wind, kicked drops from the 40-yard line. Currier, substituting for Leavitt, New Hampshire's left end, carried the ball to the 5-yard line from a successful forward pass, Connors carrying it across for the touchdown. Paganucci and Young were the mainstays for Maine.

LIST OF FIRE ALARM STATIONS FOR KITTERY

Several residents of Kittery are asking where the several stations of the fire alarm in the town are located. For their benefit The Herald republishes the list of the same:

2. Kittery Point Bridge.
3. Austin School.
4. Woodlawn Avenue.
5. Navy Yard Station.
6. Navy Yard Entrance.
8. Fire Station and Out of Town.
12. Love Lane.
13. Central and Dame Streets.
14. Jones Avenue.
15. Otis avenue.
23. Pleasant Street.
24. Newmarch Street.
25. Water Street.
26. Cook's Hill.
32. Overhead Bridge.
34. Kittery Junction.
35. Butler's Crossing.
36. Gray's Lodge.
42. Langton's Hill.
43. Manson Avenue.
45. Shepherd's Hill.
46. Remick's Corner.
52. North Kittery.
53. Almshouse, Haley Road.

All out, one long blast.

MASONS IN PARIS TO WELCOME AMERICANS

For the welcome of all members of the Masonic fraternity the Masonic Bureau for Allied Armies in France has issued a notice stating that it will be open every day in the year from two o'clock to five o'clock in the afternoon. The address is No. 16 Rue Cadet, Paris. A letter which has been sent to the Grand Lodge of the United States in regard to the bureau says:

"Here our brethren will always find devoted Masons, speaking their language, ready to answer all inquiries and furnish any useful information they may require; to assure them a fraternal help in all circumstances, to keep in touch by corresponding with them, to visit them in case they are ill or wounded, to serve as intermediary between them and their relatives."

SUNDAY RUNAWAY

A horse attached to a poney cart, became frightened at the Boston and Maine railroad station Sunday morning and started on the run. He collided with a pole in front of Duncan's jewelry store and careened over on to the North church side where the carriage was left, the horse continuing on his merry way until he reached home.

POSTAL CLERK TRANSFERRED

Charles W. Kerr of this city, railway postal clerk, with a run from Boston to Portland has been transferred to a run between Newport, Vt., and Springfield, Mass and will shortly remove to Springfield to make his future home. He has resided in Portsmouth since 1908.

TO HOLD DANCING ASSEMBLY

The second in the series of dancing assemblies of the Portsmouth Country Club will be held at Pierce hall on Monday evening, Nov. 19. The hostesses will be Mrs. E. Curtis Matthews and Mrs. R. C. Foye.

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"The Haunted House"
William Duncan in "Fighting Trail"

Wednesday and Thursday
GEORGE WALSH
in
"THE HONOR SYSTEM"
12 Reel Standard production, direct from a four months' run in New York City and a two months' showing in Boston.

Friday and Saturday
Bessie Love in The Little Reformer
Gladys Brockwell in "Soul of Satan"
Pearl White in "The Fatal Ring"

COMING!
Wednesday & Thursday, Nov. 21-22
Mae Marsh in "Polly of the Circus"
Goldwyn's Initial Production.

EXAMINATION TO ESTABLISH A LIST OF ELIGIBLES FOR ENROLLMENT AS OFFICERS IN THE CIVIL ENGINEER CORPS OF THE UNITED STATES NAVAL RESERVE FORCE

An examination will be held at the Bureau of Yards and Docks, Navy Department, Washington, D. C., to establish a list of eligibles for enrollment in the Civil Engineer Corps of the United States Naval Reserve Force. This examination will close at noon of December 31, 1917.

To compete in this examination it is only necessary for the candidate to address a letter to the Reserve Examining Board giving full information as to his education and experience with testimonials and references.

A descriptive circular giving detailed information of the requirements for this examination is about ready for distribution and will be sent to interested parties upon request to the Chief of the Bureau of Yards and Docks, Navy Department, Washington, D. C.

Candidates recommended for enrollment will be authorized to appear before the nearest medical officer of the United States Navy for physical examination. Candidates found to be physically unfit will not be enrolled.

Candidate must be an American citizen and must be an engineer in active practice of the profession of civil, electrical or mechanical engineering or some business directly connected with these professions.

The age and experience requirements are for Ensign, not less than 24 years of age with not less than two years of active professional practice; for Lieutenant (Junior grade) not less than 27 years of age with not less than five years of active professional practice; for Lieutenant, not less than 30 years of age with not less than seven years of active professional practice, during at least three years of which candidate must have had responsible charge of work as principal or assistant.

Those now in the United States Naval Reserve Force, civilians and anyone who is now in the Army, either volunteer or drafted, including those in the army either volunteer or drafted, must obtain their discharge before they can be enrolled.

Enrollments are for a period of four years or during the existence of a war or national emergency. Except during a war or national emergency officers are only given active duty at their own request and then for short periods.

Pay and allowances of officers amount to approximately, as follows:

Ensign $2100 per annum.

Lieutenant, (Junior grade) $2500 per annum.

Lieutenant, $3100 per annum.

There is an additional allowance of $150 per annum for uniforms.

UNEARTH 800,000 POUNDS SUGAR IN STORAGE

(By Associated Press)

Boston, Nov. 12.—Federal agents have uncovered between 3,000,000 and 5,000,000 pounds of foodstuffs in storage houses in and near this city. There has been no seizures and the investigating agents state that there will be none, their investigation bing for the purpose of determining how much food was in storage and its character.

In one store house located near this city 800,000 pounds of sugar was discovered by the investigators.

COULD NOT ENTER THE WAR IF SHE SO DESIRED

(By Associated Press)

New York, Nov. 12—Finland's entrance into the war was denied and statements that it was in the war, published in newspaper dispatches were attacked by Karlo Ignatus, special counsel for the government of Finland in the United States.

Read the Want Ads.

PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Mrs. Alfred Gooding is passing a few days in Boston.

Carl Anderson passed Sunday at his home in Portland, Me.

F. E. Whitman of Clinton, Me., was a visitor here on Sunday.

Arthur F. Howard passed the week-end at his home in this city.

G. W. Chesley of New Haven, Conn., was a visitor here on Monday.

Horace P. Montgomery passed Monday in Boston on business.

Edward S. Austin of Augusta, Me., was a visitor here on Monday.

Mrs. J. J. Goodwin has returned from a visit with friends at Sanbornville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Winn of Concord N. H., were visitors here on Sunday.

Miss Ethel Penn of Augusta, Me., was a visitor here over the week-end.

Oren Quimby of Newburyport Mass., passed Sunday with relatives in Kittery.

Paul C. A. Flux of Islington street is visiting his son, Paul Flux in Worcester, Mass.

M. L. Bullard of the ship building plant has suffered a relapse and is confined to his home.

Mrs. Hall of Boston passed the week-end with the Coolidge family at Little Harbor.

Hiram B. Merrield has returned from a gunning trip in the northern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. King of Bath, Me., passed the week-end at his home in this city.

Thomas Edwards, clerk at the Kearsarge passed Sunday in Newburyport with friends.

Fred L. Shaw left on Monday morning on a business trip to North Conway and Dixville Notch.

Mrs. Robert Spier has returned to Waltham, Mass., after a week's visit with her daughter in this city.

Captain S. R. Sands, superintendent of the First coast guard district, is on a brief visit to Providence, R. I.

Arthur Spinney and Stacy G. Moran returned on Saturday from a week's gunning trip in the Surf River Valley.

Thomas Lamb of Dover passed Sunday in this city as the guest of Joseph F. Lamb and family of Cutts street.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Doulter of Manchester were in Kittery on Sunday to attend the funeral of Leon Webber.

Bernard Nelson who is employed by the New England Telephone Company passed Sunday at his home in Concord, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meehan of Hanover street left on Monday morning for Springfield, Mass., where they will visit relatives.

Fred H. Marden who is connected with the Internal Revenue department in Boston passed the week-end at his home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert French, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Jordan of Brockton, Mass., passed the week-end with Daniel W. Adams and wife.

The family of J. T. Coolidge will close their summer home, the old Gov. Wentworth Mansion on Thursday and return to Boston for the winter.

John E. Woods has returned from a visit with his son, Harold Woods at Allentown, Pa. Mrs. Woods will remain with her son for a time longer.

Rev. Fr. Sullivan, P. R., attended the dedication of St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic church at Derry, Sunday. After the dedication exercises those present were the guests of Rev. Fr. Dunn at the Hotel Bradford, where a banquet was served.

James P. Callahan who is now employed as a paymaster by the American Realty Company, a subsidiary of the International Paper Company, with headquarters at Kenebago Lake, Me., passed the week-end in this city and met many old time acquaintances. Mr. Callahan was for several years located in this city, being in charge of the Boston and Maine work train.

DADDY.

Softly the words frank and pleadingly fell
From the lips of each innocent darling,
Saying, "Please God, watch over him well,
Our daddy mid fierce battles storming.

"Daddy, we love him so true and brave
Doing his duty our fair land to save
Fighting for freedom far over the wave,
Oh, God, guide and protect him, our daddy."

Tears often glisten in dear Mother's eyes,
As thoughts of our absent daddy arise;
She smiles away tears while unsullied flies
The flag of our lover country and daddy.

—R. J. Gilker.

OBITUARY

Miss Ann Towle.

Died at the Portsmouth Hospital Sunday morning, Miss Ann Towle of Newington, aged 67 years.

Don't forget that the local charities still have their place and need funds to meet the war conditions.

CALL UPON STATE FOR 62 MORE MEN

Seventy-Sixth Division at Camp Devens Is 4,697 Below Strength.

Ayer, Mass., Nov. 12.—There are 4,697 vacancies to be filled in the 76th division at Camp Devens, it was announced yesterday. As a result of discharges from various causes Connecticut has been called to send as soon as they can be certified 1,205 men, Maine 287, Massachusetts 2,010, New Hampshire 62, New York 559, Rhode Island 422 and Vermont 152.

During the coming week the officers will have their scope of work broadened and at the same time the men in the ranks have a new change in working schedule for more technical training in the school of the soldier. The officers will start their studies in field fortifications and gas defense.

CATHOLIC CHURCH NOTES

The first distribution of the articles provided by the Ladies' War Aid for the soldiers and sailors will be made this week. The ladies have accomplished most wonderful results since taking up this work.

The annual collection for Indian and Negro missions will be taken up in all churches of the diocese on Sunday next by direction of the Rt. Rev. George E. Guertin, Bishop of Manchester, in a circular letter read at all churches of the diocese on Sunday.

Rev. D. Alex Sullivan was among the numerous clergy who attended the dedication of the new St. Thomas Aquinas church at Derry on Sunday. The solemn high mass on this occasion took place at 10.30 a. m. and was celebrated before Bishop Guertin by the pastor, Rev. D. J. Dunn, who was assisted by Rev. Fr. Frank X. Lyons of South Manchester as deacon; Rev. Fr. E. N. Durette as sub-deacon, and Rev. Fr. Leddy, assistant chancellor of the cathedral at Manchester, as master of ceremonies. The exercises dedicating the new edifice were performd by Bishop Guertin, who preached an able sermon in both the English and French languages, which was listened to with the closest attention.

Following the ceremonies of dedication, the priests in attendance were guests of Rev. Fr. Dunn at a banquet served at Hotel Bradford.

Included among the priests who sat down to the banquet were Bishop George Albert Guertin of Manchester; Very Rev. Thomas McO'Leary, V. G., P. R., Concord; Rev. Fr. J. A. Chevalier, P. R., Manchester; Rev. Fr. James Riley, Newmarket; Rev. Fr. J. J. Lyons, P. R., Manchester; Rev. Fr. Alex Sullivan, P. R., Portsmouth; Rev. Fr. Matthew Creamer, Nashua; Rev. Fr. G. F. Marshall, Walpole; Rev. Fr. F. D. O'Neil, Nashua; Rev. Fr. Frank X. Lyons, South Manchester; Rev. Fr. P. J. Scott, Exeter, Rev. Fr. Jeremiah S. Huckley, D. C. L., chancellor, Manchester; Rev. Fr. J. T. Crowley, Manchester; Rev. Fr. M. J. Maher, Westville; Rev. Fr. Joseph, St. Anselm's college, Manchester; Rev. Fr. Sliney, Manchester; Rev. Fr. Gilbert, Manchester; Rev. Fr. Leddy, Manchester; Rev. Fr. Bourque, Manchester; Rev. Fr. F. J. Ryan, Boston; Rev. Daniel J. Dunn and Rev. Fr. E. N. Durette, Derry.

The Kelley-Sullivan nuptials take place on Wednesday and the Cronin-Burke nuptials on Thursday.

The senior choir of the church will hold its weekly rehearsal on Friday night this week.

OBSEQUIES

Miss Minnie W. Drake

The funeral of Miss Minnie W Drake was held from the home on the Lafayette road in North Hampton Sunday afternoon at two o'clock, and was largely attended. Rev. Arthur S. Burrill, pastor of the Congregational church, conducted the service. The bearers were George Carter, Andrew Marston, Warren Moulton and G. A. Batchelder. Interment was in the family lot in North Hampton cemetery under the direction of J. Verne Wood.

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NOTICE.

The Woman's Guild of St. John's Parish House, State street, Wednesday, Nov. 14, from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m. The place will be open Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock to receive contributions.

The naval patrol had it very quiet about the city. The enlisted men are causing no trouble whatever.

FOR SALE—Baby's white enamel crib. Apply 225 Union street, he n12,1w

WINS CROSS COUNTRY RUN FROM THE GREEN

(By Associated Press)

Boston, Mass., Nov. 11.—The University of Pennsylvania won the cross country run from Dartmouth on the Franklin Field course Saturday, by a score of 17 to 42. Michael McHale was the first to reach the tape, his time was 32 minutes and 46 seconds.

It has been reported that some of the smaller stores took advantage of the sugar shortage and charged as high as 25 cents for two pounds. Fortunately they were a very few.

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STORY OF A GERMAN SEA RAIDER

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 10—The full story of the cruise of the German commerce raider Seeadler has been obtained by the navy department from Captain Haldor Smith of the American schooner R. C. Slade and three other mariners who landed at Tufuiki in an open boat last Saturday after being marooned on Mopeha Island by the master of the Seeadler when the raider grounded and was abandoned.

The Seeadler, formerly the American ship Pass of Balmah, belonged to the Boston Lumber Company and was in the Nova Scotia trade before the war. After the war broke out she was put under the American flag and was captured by the British and a prize officer was put aboard her with instructions to take her to Kirkwall, Scotland. On the way she was captured by a German submarine and sent to Bremen and fitted out as a raider. A picked crew was placed aboard, some of whom spoke Norwegian, and sent out into the Atlantic under the guise of a Norwegian ship. The ruse worked so well that after leaving Bremen on December 21, 1916, the Seeadler was held up by the British auxiliary cruiser Highland Scot, examined and passed. Sailors' identification books issued by the Norwegian government were furnished the men, although they no doubt were taken from captured Norwegian vessels and given to the men who seemed to fit the descriptions given. These, together with pictures of Norwegian kings and queens, gave the ship the appearance of a Norwegian.

Captain Smith learned that while cruising in the Atlantic, thirteen ships valued by the Germans at 60,000,000 marks were captured, and four in the Pacific, the R. C. Slade, the American schooner A. B. Johnson, the American schooner Hapila and the French schooner Lutece.

Relating the story of the capture of his ship, the Slade, Captain Smith said:

"I left Sydney on April 24, 1917, and proceeded without any accident until the evening of June 17, when was in latitude about 2 north and longitude 160 west. On the evening of June 17 about 5 o'clock the second mate reported to me that a ship was firing on us. I went on deck and looked aft and instantly as I came on deck, they fired again and I saw the shell fall short about two miles. She was about 8 miles off. There was a heavy squall starting to eastward—wind favorable to this time—and I thought it possible to get away and kept holding on. But she kept firing on me at intervals of about 5 to 10 minutes, and was coming up fast.

"The ninth shot fired about six o'clock struck very close, passing the poop and spashing water on the ship. Then I concluded that there was no use and I lowered down spanker, clewed down topsail, hoisted American flag and hove to. About 7 o'clock the raider was alongside and asked what ship. I told him what it was and he told me to lower sails, and stand by and he would send an officer aboard. Shortly after the prize officer came aboard, and a doctor and about ten men. These officers were in uniform. They told me to leave the ship and go aboard the raider and they would give me time in the morning to pack my clothes.

"They took all of our men aboard the raider except the cook. Next morning I went back on board with all of men men and packed up. We left the ship with our belongings June 18. We were put on board the raider again and shortly after I saw from the raider that they cut holes in the masts and placed dynamite bombs in each mast and put fire to both ends of the ship and left her. I saw the masts go over the side and the ship was burning from end to end, and the raider steamed away."

Captain Smith said the raider was a full rigged ship of steel or iron, about 2300 tons propelled by oil burning engines. Her captain was Felix Graf von Luckner. All told, her complement was 68 officers and men.

Mounted between decks she carried two four inch guns, and two machine guns. The name on her bow was Irma.

When the men from the Slade arrived aboard the raider, they found nine prisoners from the American schooner A. B. Johnson of San Francisco, captured three days before. On July 3, Smith stated the schooner Manila was captured and dynamited after the ten officers and men had been taken off. Aboard the Seeadler, he said was a Hollander who had been taken off the first ship captured and he was kept aboard because he had made an insulting remark to the captain about German money.

For about three weeks the raider kept beating up and down looking for passing ships. Meeting none they went south to Mopeha on July 31, anchored on the ice side of the island and on August 2 the ship was driven hard and fast ashore. The three American captains had gone ashore with the German officers on a picnic and the prisoners were left on the ship. Cannon were fired to tell the party the ship was in danger and when they returned they found the propeller had been twisted on the coral reefs and the vessel beyond help. After working all afternoon they gave her up as lost and took ashore everything they could move including the boats, gear and wireless. The wireless plant, a very powerful one, was set up between two cocoanut trees. It was equipped with sending and receiving apparatus and without difficulty they were able to hear Pago Pago and Honolulu.

On August 23, Captain Smith related, the German officers fitted up and armed a small boat and started for the Cook Islands or the Fiji Islands, where they hoped to capture an American ship and come back for the crew. Count vno Luckner, the master, was in charge. They were never heaurd of again at Mophea Island.

After their departure, wireless messages in code from Pago Pago to the American consul were intercepted and the German crew believed the Count had been captured. On September 5, a French trading schooner from Papeete, the Lutece, put in at the Island. First Lieut. Kling took a motor boat and machine gun and captured the ship. She had a large cargo of flour, salmon and beer and a supply of water. Kling and his men dismantled the wireless plant and left the island in the Lutece that night, leaving 48 souls, including the Americans, the crew of the French trader and four natives of the island. Scant provisions and bad at that, were left them. Besides these, they found a few cocoanuts, but the great number of rats on the island destroyed them. There was plenty of fish and turtles.

A small boat had been left behind and the marooned men fitted it up. The captain of the Manila with a small crew started out in the boat for Tahiti on September 8. They failed to reach there and returned exhausted on September 16. Captain Smith with three men took the small boat and managed to reach Pago Pago ten days later.

Captain Smith said that after the Seeadler had been abandoned the Germans used dynamite to destroy the ship's masts so that passing vessels might not sight them. They were unable to sink the Manila as she was loaded with lumber and the derelict now probably is a menace to navigation. Although the Seeadler probably is a wreck, it is possible that her guns still are in position to use.

Forty-four persons still are on Mopeha Island, but Captain Smith said they were not in immediate danger of starvation. There are turtles and fish on the island he said, and the water, while brackish, is not dangerous. The only danger he said is of sickness. One man had gangrene when he left, but he doubted that the survivors knew how to use it.

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NEXT DRAFT IN FEBRUARY

Washington, D. C., Nov. 11.—President Wilson formally put the new machinery for the carrying out of the Selective Draft law into operation last night with the publication of the foreword he has written to the regulations under which the second call will be made. The regulations themselves and the questionnaires which more than 9,000,000 registrants will be required to fill out are being forwarded to local boards; but have not yet been made public.

War Department officials estimate that the whole process can be completed within sixty days. This means that no second call will be made upon the draft forces before the middle of next February, as the period of classification will not begin until December 15.

The President describes the new system of dividing all registered men not already mobilized into five classes, subject to military service by classes, as being intended to produce "a more perfect organization of our man power."

"The selective principle must be carried to its logical conclusion," the President said, and he added that there must be made a complete inventory of the qualifications of each registrant in order to determine "the place in the military, industrial or agricultural ranks of the nation in which his experience and training can best be made to serve the common good."

Appeals for Help of All.

The inquiry projected in the questionnaire will go deep into the qualifications of each of nearly 16,000,000 men. The success of the system and its completion within the estimated time rests absolutely upon the wholehearted support given by the people, especially by the doctors and lawyers of each community, and the President calls upon them for that unstinted aid.

The President's foreword follows:—

"The task of selecting and mobilizing the first contingent of the National Army is nearing completion. The expedition and accuracy of its accomplishment were a most gratifying demonstration of the efficiency of our domestic institutions. The swiftness with which the machinery for its execution had to be assembled, however, left room for adjustment and improvement. New regulations putting these improvements into effect are therefore being published today. There is no change in the essential obligation of men subject to selection. The first draft must stand unaffected by the provisions of the new regulations. They can be given no retroactive effect.

"The time has come for a more perfect organization of our man power. The selective principle must be carried to its logical conclusion. We must make a complete inventory of the qualifications of all registrants in order to determine, as to each man not already selected for duty with the colors, the place in the military, industrial or agricultural ranks of the nation in which his experience and training can best be made to serve the common good. This project involves an inquiry by the Selection Boards into the domestic, industrial and educational qualifications of nearly ten million men.

Commends Work of Boards.

"Members of these boards have rendered a conspicuous service. The work was done without regard to personal convenience and under a pressure of immediate necessity which imposed great sacrifices. Yet the service authorized on a permanent basis of the first draft must of necessity be retained and the Selection Boards must provide the directing mechanism for the new classification.

"The thing they have done is of scarcely one-tenth the magnitude of the thing that remains to be done. It is of great importance both to our military and to our economic interests that the classification be carried swiftly and accurately to a conclusion. An estimate of the time necessary for the work leads to the conclusion that it can be accomplished in sixty days; but only if this great marshalling of our resources of men is regarded by all as a national war undertaking of such significance as to challenge the attention and compel the assistance of every American.

"I call upon all citizens, therefore, to assist local and district boards by proffering such service and such material conveniences as they can offer and by appearing before the boards either upon summons or upon their own initiative, to give information as will be useful in classifying registrants. I urge men of the legal profession to offer themselves as associate members of the legal advisory board to be provided in each community for the purpose of advising registrants of their rights and obligations, and of assisting them in the preparation of their answers to the questions which all men subject to draft are required to submit.

"I ask the doctors of the country to identify themselves with the medical advisory boards which are to be constituted in the various districts throughout the United States for the purpose of making a scientific physical examination of the registrants.

Police Co-operation Desired.

"It is important also that the police officials of every grade and class should be informed of their duty under the Selective Service law and regulations, to search for persons who do not respond promptly and to serve the summons of local and district bounds.

"Newspapers can be of very great assistance in giving wide publicity to the requirements of the law and regulations and to the numbers and names of those who are called to present themselves to their local boards from day to day. Finally, I ask that during the time hereafter to be specified as marking the sixty day period of the classification, all citizens give attention to the task in hand in order that the process may proceed to a conclusion with swiftness and yet with even and considerate justice to all."

MARRIED A PORTSMOUTH WOMAN.

Colonel Robert Watkinson Huntington, U. S. M. C., retired, died on Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock at his residence, "Morea," near the University, says the Daily Progress, Charlottesville, Va., of Nov. 5.

Colonel Huntington was born December 3rd, 1840, at West Hartford, Conn., the eldest son of Samuel Howard and Sara Blair (Watkinson) Huntington. He received his education in Hartford and at the outbreak of the Civil War left Trinity College and enlisted in the 1st Connecticut Volunteers, under the command of Captain (afterwards General and later U. S. Senator) Joseph R. Hawley.

After some months' service he passed an examination for a commission as lieutenant in the Marine Corps and served in various locations, both in the United States and in the East on the U. S. S. Jamestown.

At the outbreak of the Spanish war Colonel (then Major) Huntington was in command at the Brooklyn (N. Y.) Navy Yard and a battalion of Marines was formed and put under his command which was in due course landed at Guantanamo, where a Naval base for the U. S. was established and the first U. S. flag planted on Cuban soil. For some time after the landing, the command was persistently attacked by the Spanish at night and their heroic conduct brought favorable comment from all sides.

After taking command of the battalion, Major Huntington was promoted to Lt. Colonelcy and afterwards, while there was no vacancy, he was made a colonel for his meritorious services.

Colonel Huntington retired in 1899 and in June, 1907, came to Charlottesville, where he has been living over since.

Colonel Huntington is survived by his wife, who was Miss Elizabeth Whipple, of Portsmouth, N. H., daughter of General A. W. Whipple who was killed at the battle of Chancellorsville, and by his daughter, Mrs. Edward Wayland, of Heards, Va.

Two sons by a former marriage—Robert W. Huntington, Jr., of Hartford, Conn., and the Right Rev. Daniel Trumbull Huntington, Bishop of the Missionary Diocese of the Protestant Episcopal Church at Anking, China.

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MR. MARVIN PRESENT

The Association of Survivors of the Great Boston Fire held its forty-fifth annual meeting and banquet at the Quincy Hotel in Boston Friday evening, Nov. 9th inst. Ex-Mayor T. E. O. Marvin was present, the only representative of this city. He made a speech which was heartily applauded.

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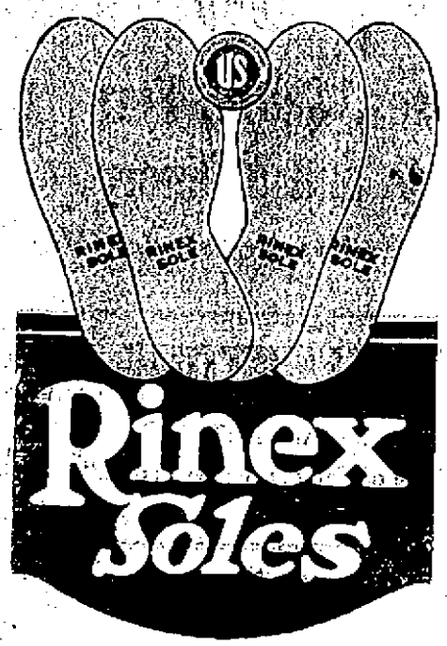

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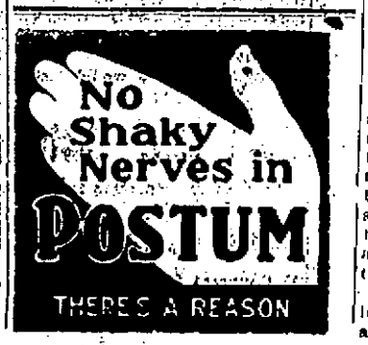

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GERMANS ACTIVE IN SWITZERLAND

(By Associated Press)

Berne, Nov. 10.—Probably at no time since the war began has German propaganda been more aggresively active in Switzerland than at present.

Those who are following the German campaign declare that uncounted millions are being spent, and that the expenditures have increased since the day, not so very many months ago, when counter efforts were begun—counter efforts that with a comparatively insignificant amount of money have accomplished wonders by their tact and cleverness.

The German propaganda is operated in a score of ways, but the chief method is the presentation of the German viewpoint and German news in the papers, but because it is clumsy it is vastly less effective than the outlay should warrant. In brief, Germany has tried and is trying to influence Swiss public opinion as if the Swiss people could clearly understand the German way of thinking.

As the basis of its propaganda work here, Germany acquired a number of newspapers in Switzerland—several in the German language and one published in French, the latter now under suspension. Similarly, the "Swiss" papers in the German language are quite as obviously German as the Berlin Lokalanzeiger or the Cologne Gazette except that they are immeasurably less able.

Then the Germans acquired or started a whole series of news agencies through which to distribute their news. Soon, however, these agencies added another and vastly more important function, that of collecting and transmitting news from countries at war with Germany—news, however, carefully colored if not actually distorted. It was in this direction that the German propaganda began to be dangerously effective.

While German newspapermen themselves could only roost along the Italian border at Lugano, and the French at Geneva, and transmit colored news from Italian and French newspapers to Germany, the neutral Swiss correspondents of the so-called "Swiss" agencies had free access to Italy and France. They carefully chose all the misleading, even though technically accurate, news they could squeeze by the censor. If a sensational and uninfluential deputy in the French or Italian chamber makes an attack on the government, it is faithfully flashed to Switzerland; if a score of women in Rome threw stones during a protest meeting, Switzerland heard of the "rioting" that is gravely menacing the established order in Italy.

With America's entry into the war the agencies went a step farther and rendered another important service to Germany, for some of them began to send, both to Switzerland and to Germany, distorted news from the United States. Again and again the reliable, the genuinely Swiss journals, issued denials or published the correct news. The first effect was not to be corrected by later stories.

The general trend of this American news concerns the embargo and America's intentions toward Switzerland. Every story in a list that would fill a scrap book tended to show that the United States had the intention of starving its little sister republic. Not even an announcement by Switzerland's president that from authentic reports he knew food was underway or soon to start could offset the effect of the first stories. And they had meantime gone to Germany and were followed by sympathetic editorials in German papers popular here commiserating with Switzerland in its struggle against Yankee oppression.

A third propaganda method, which began early to operate and, still flourishes, is that of "literature" that is distributed by the ton. Switzerland is flooded with it, and the protests that have been raised have come in a surprising number of cases from German Switzerland. The procedure is "echt deutsch." It is one that has been followed in Holland, in Scandinavia, in all the neutral countries since the beginning of the war.

Vastly more effective and clever has been the Austrian propaganda in Switzerland. Shortly after the opening of the war two influential and clever newspapermen—one an Austrian from Vienna, the other a Hungarian from Budapest—both of whom operated news bureaus in their respective cities, were commissioned by the Austro-Hungarian government to establish a seemingly neutral bureau in Zurich that should have connections in other neutral as well as enemy countries. They were careful never to send it the ordinary, German brand of "propaganda" news.

The bureau was successful and is today. It established connections in Holland, in Rome and elsewhere, and is able to place a comparatively large quantity of news which is the more effective because it is not too obviously Austrian in character. It encourages the rather lively sympathy that exists for Austria and will always carry a story tending to show that Austro-Hungary is not really an autocratic monarchy but rather a collection of free peoples voluntarily bound together into one nation and fighting bravely an uphill battle that was not of their choosing.

The effect of the Germano-Austrian press propaganda is a curious contradiction. The German tends to alienate, the latter attracts. The German campaign for many months was, despite its unwelcome features, successful for the simple reason that there was almost no counter propaganda. The Swiss papers, much as they wanted to present both sides, and to be primarily pro-Swiss, had little choice but to print much of what came from the German press agents because there was nothing else but the official reports from the warring countries.

The genuinely Swiss papers in German Switzerland protested in vain. The mails continued to be choked with "literature" and the wires with "news" from the eight or nine German and Austrian news bureaus. Those who know assert that at heart a big percentage of German-speaking Switzerland was pro-German.

The entente evidently thought so too, and they were clever enough to see that there would be no necessity for matching dollar for dollar the outlays of Germany for propaganda in order to neutralize if not nullify the effectiveness of the eight or nine bureaus. One tenth as much money and several times as much cleverness would do the trick.

Details are inadvisable. Suddenly the Swiss papers, especially those printed in German, began to receive extremely objective, well written news about Entente affairs. The accounts were sometimes supplemental to the official reports, but also they covered a vastly larger field. They were accepted gladly by all but the papers that had been acquired by German interests.

Then the Entente forces added a feature which the Germans as yet have only faintly tried to copy. The pro-Swiss and the pro-German papers began to receive a German service that was a revelation to them. They began to get extracts from German papers, views expressed editorially and accounts of occurrences that were brand new to them—because the eight agencies had not carried them.

The effect was not instantaneous but today is very marked, and growing much more so. The uninitiated reader still has to pick and choose very carefully which paper he shall buy, but if he knows which are the genuine Swiss papers he will find both sides of the struggle fairly well represented by news items and stories that are not distorted or colored.

Careful observers, both Swiss and American, who have lived in Switzerland either all their lives or since the war, say there has been, during the past months, a gradual but decided shift in public opinion. German Switzerland, they say, is no longer if it ever was, overwhelmingly pro-German. Today it is part pro-Entente and much more pro-Swiss.

That has not prevented Germany from redoubling its efforts. Something is happening all the time, but most of it is propaganda, and most of the propaganda is German, but on this neutral battlefield the Germans seem also to be fighting a losing fight.

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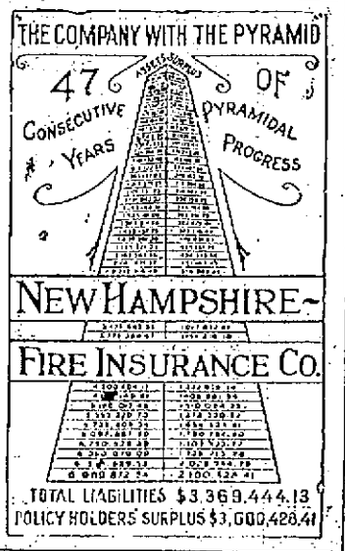

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EX-MAYOR OF KEENE KILLED

(By Associated Press)

Goshen, N. H., Nov. 11.—Horatio Collony, the first mayor Keene, was killed today when his automobile over turned in a small stream. His neices, Misses Helen and Marion Blake and the driver, Herbert Burns, were not seriously injured. The accident happened at a turn at the bottom of a hill, when the car left the road and overturned. The party were released from unde rthe car by another auto party and taken to the Newport hospital. Mr. Collony was 82 years of age and said to be the richest man in Keene.

AMERICAN FRONT QUIET

(By Associated Press)

American Front in France, Nov. 11.—Conditions on the American front are normal with the usuhl artillery action. The Infantry had some diversion, when the enemy thought that a raid was coming, opened fire with machine guns and a hail of bullets flew over the trenches. Further down the French spotted four Germans cutting wires and captured them.

General Pershing said that troops and supplies are steadily increasing in number and thanks to the protection of the navies of the American, English and French. The submarines have not taken the life of an American soldier on the transports.

OPERATED ON IN BOSTON

Charles Heffenger, son of Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Heffenger of this city, was operated on in Boston Saturday for appendicitis.

EMPEROR CHARLES HAS NARROW ESCAPE

(By Associated Press)

Amsterdam, Nov. 11.—Emperor Charles of Austria had a very narrow escape from death while on a visit to the Austrian front in Italy last week. He was returning from his visit and at Palmanova near Udine his automobile in which he was accompanied by King Ferdinand of Bulgaria, became stalled in a mountain torrent. A footman attempted to carry the Emperor ashore and he was carried down stream and the emperor left struggling in the water. Prince Felix who was accompanying the party, a strong swimmer, went to the aid of the Emperor but the latter was only saved by catching hold of an overhanging willow. Several times he was swept under a sthe willow bent with his weight and the force of the current, but he was finally hauled ashore.

NEW EXPLOSIVE LAW.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Any person in the United States found with explosives in his possession after November 15, and who does not have a license issued by the Federal government showing the purpose for what the explosives are to be used, will be at once arrested and fined up to $5,000 or sent to prison for one year. If the circumstances warrant, the person may be fined $5,000 and in addition given the one year in prison.

This is the principal clause in a war measure passed by the last Congress which is now being put into effect by the Bureau of Mines, Department of the Interior, which bureau has been charged with its enforcement Francis S. Peabody, of Chicago, a well known coal operator familiar with the use of explosives, large amounts of which are used in the coal mining industry, has been appointed by Secretary of the Interior Lane to act as assistant to the Director of the Bureau of Mines, Van H. Manning, in the enforcement of the law. Under the law, the Director of the bureau is empowered to utilize the services of all United States officers and all police officers of the states, including the city police forces, county sheriffs, deputies, constables, and all officers in any way charged with police duties. The police of the cities have already been organized for this work, headed by a committee of chiefs of police in the big cities, of which Major R. W. Pullman superintendent of police of Washington, D. C., is chairman. The police are not only to look after the enforcement of the law, but are also to make thorough investigations of all dynamite outrages and fires in factories and warehouses, and to make their reports to the Director of the Bureau of Mines.

Persons apprehended in plots to blow up factories and bridges will be turned over to the authorities for prosecution under Federal or state laws. Most states have specially severe punishments for these crimes. New York has an extreme penalty of twenty-five years imprisonment for the placing of dynamite with intent to blow up property. The penalty provided in this Federal war measure is merely to cover the illegal possession of explosives.

The law provides that everyone who handles explosives must have a license. The manufacturer, the importer, and the exporter must have licenses issued by the Bureau of Mines in Washington. The seller of explosives and the purchaser of explosives must also have licenses, these to be issued generally by county clerks, or other local officers who are authorized to administer oaths. There will be at least one licensing officer in each county, and more agents will be designated if the county is sufficiently large to warrant it. If a state has laws providing for a system of licensing persons manufacturing, storing, selling or using explosives, the state officials authorized to issue such state licenses shall be designated as federal licensing agents; also city officials qualified to issue city explosives licenses will be given authority to issue federal licenses. A federal license will not relieve any person from securing licenses required under state laws and local ordinances.

In each state there will be appointed a state explosives inspector, who will represent the Bureau of Mines in the administration of the law within the state.

Only citizens of the nited States or of countries friendly to the United States and the Allies may so obtain licenses.

Contractors, mining companies, quarrymen and others using large quantities of explosives, which are handled by employees, may issue explosives to their employees only through those employees holding a license, called a foreman's license.

The purchaser of dynamite, in obtaining a license, must state definitely what the explosive is to be used for and will be held accountable for its use as stated and the return of any explosives that may be left.

With the strict enforcement of this law, the Federal authorities hope to put a stop to all further dynamite plots.

The man who said, "It is better to wait a few seconds at a railroad crossing than all your life in a cemetery," knew what he was talking about.

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A GOOD HOME given for the winter in exchange for services in a family of two. References given and required. Address "A," this office. he n8, 4t

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WANTED—To lease boarding house in or near Portsmouth. Address W. M. Davis, P. O. Box 561, Old Orchard, Me. he tf, O 17.

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FURNITURE MOVING—Both local and long distance, with heavy auto truck and handlers of long experience. Prices moderate. The Portsmouth Furniture Co., cor. Deer and Vaughan streets, near B. & M. depot. he s24, tf

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TO LET—Furnished room, suitable for two persons, at 147 State street; steam heat and latest improvements. he o26, tf

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FOR SALE—Corner lot on West street. Apply to M. E. Morrissey, 35 West street. he o8, 1m

FOR SALE—One very good show case and wall fixtures. Apply at this office.

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FOR SALE—1915 Chalmers 6-cyl, 5-pass., in good running order. Address Mrs. William Wurm, Box 96, Kittery, Me. he n12, 1w

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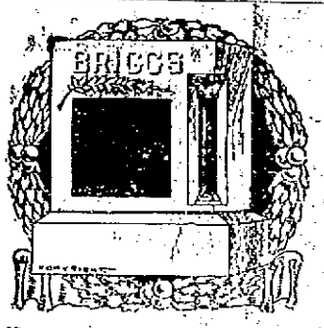

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Mrs. Sargent of Exeter Meets With Accident on Elwyn Road.

Mrs. May Sargent, of 25 South street Exeter, wife of Harry Sargent, of the coast artillery at Fort Constitution is at the Portsmouth hospital as the result of a collision of wagons on the Elwyn road. Mrs. Sargent was driving to Portsmouth when the vehicle in which she was riding crashed with another, owned by Willard Delano. Mrs. Sargent was thrown out and landed on her head. Mr. Delano picked up the injured woman and rushed her to the hospital where it was found she was suffering from concussion of the brain. Her injuries are not serious and today she is reported much improved.

NOTICE

Mrs. M. Elrita Bragdon will open a class in dancing at Freeman's annex, Wednesday evening, Nov. 14, from 8 to 10 o'clock. Tel. 748J.

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COMBINING BUSINESS WITH PLEASURE

On Saturday a large touring car containing three families arrived here from Brunswick, Me., en route to Attleboro, Mass. The car was put up at the Portsmouth Motor Mart on Fleet street and the women of the party immediately got busy. It was not until their return that it was learned that they went out in quest of sugar, but were unable to obtain any at the local stores. It however, was learned that they had secured 18 pounds while on their trip to this city and were in hopes of increasing their supply before reaching their destination.

THE HERALD HEARS

That the several smelters on Clark's wharf this morning enjoyed a laugh caused by the questions from a couple of hicks who blew down there for pastime.

That the hicks had never seen any salt water fishing before and were very much tickled as they saw the shiners come out of the water.

That they wanted to know the name of every fish they saw and kept at it until they found out.

That they also wanted to know when the fish were caught and who caught them.

That the climax came when some fishermen opened a lobster car and dug out several of the shell fish.

That they went wild with delight when they got their eyes on the lobsters.

That they got the history of the lobster and ended up by asking: "How do those lobsters crawl into the big box?"

That the wooden Indian at Leckey's tobacco store on Congress street is still attractive.

That a freak with a slant on a few nights ago, was the latest to throw admiration to Minnehaha.

That as soon as his eye caught the Indian, he began bowing and saluting the silent figure.

That his love became stronger every second and he finally walked up and planted a kiss on the lips of the Indian.

That when he finished this period of osculation, he began the hug act for fair.

That if he ever gave a live woman the hugging that the wooden Indian got, she would be on the dangerous list at some hospital.

That Tom Leckey says she has never been in love and that all boys look alike to her.

That this does not explain why she was kidnapped in the night and absent for a year.

DONATION DAY FOR HOME FOR AGED WOMEN

The board of advisors of the Home for Aged Women announced that the annual donation for the benefit of the Home will be held on Thursday, Nov. 15. Donations of money, vegetables, and supplies will be gratefully received. The Home will be opened from 2.30 to 5 p. m. for the reception of donations.

The Home for Aged Women since its institution has done a noble work in caring for aged people and is deserving of liberal support from our charitably inclined citizens.

ANOTHER PORTSMOUTH BOY PROMOTED AT CAMP DEVENS

George Hatt of this city, one of the men in the last contingent sent to Camp Devens, recently passed an examination and has been promoted to the rank of mechanic, a position in the army which pays $100 a month for foreign service. Hatt states that he is much pleased with the service so far and says that Uncle Sam is looking after the boys in good style at Ayer, especially on the eats. He has been busy every minute since he left Portsmouth on mechanical work and has produced some surprising work in this line. He was formerly a truckman and chauffeur and has always showed much mechanical ability. He is known as the handy man at the camp where he is assigned to the fourth company depot brigade.

FIREGRAPHS

The Denver police and firemen are clad in new winter uniforms, the gift of the city. The city council voted a bonus of $50 to each policeman and fireman with which to purchase a winter outfit.

The Nashua city council has voted $2500 for motor apparatus.

Concord sent out three pieces of motor apparatus in response to a call from a nearby town.

Chicopee, Mass., has motorized its entire fire department and closed one or two stations. Portsmouth could dispense with a few stations if a new central one was built.

The Haverhill, Mass., board of fire engineers recommended an appropriation of $20,000 for motor apparatus.

Dover has granted the permanent men more time off which equals that of Portsmouth.

Our fire alarm seems by the test each Saturday morning to be in good working order, but it has not sounded for a fire since the eleventh day of September.

The city of Lawrence, Mass., has yet to purchase its first piece of motor apparatus for the fire department.

OBSERVER.

Portsmouth, Nov. 12.

LOCAL DASHES

Sundays like yesterday are few this season.

Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch. Tel. 133.

The plans for the annual election begin to take shape.

S. and D. of L. whist, N. E. O. P. hall, Tuesday evening. hn12, 2t

Both sugar and flour have forgotten that Portsmouth is on the map.

Letters from local boys at Ayer indicate that they are having a fine vacation.

Salt is joining hands with flour and sugar and is getting scarce in Portsmouth.

Don't miss the big sale now going on, corner Bow and Market street, up one flight.

Kerensky may soon resume control of Petrograd.—Thank goodness it's not in Portsmouth.

Lobsters and fresh fish of all kinds, caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. Jameson & Sons. Tel. 245.

Kelcher trucks. C. E. Woods, Bow street.

You are not doing your bit in this great war unless you are saving every thing in food and fuel line you possibly can.

Sheehan's dancing school, Monday night at Pythian hall. Uniformed men welcome.

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A number of local citizens took advantage of the fine weather Sunday and walked to the Newington Shipbuilding plant.

Those who saw the runaway from the depot yesterday that terminated at the North church when the crash came, witnessed some horse navigating.

$3.00 Flannelette bath robes for 95c, corner Bow and Market streets, up one flight. Sale now going on.

Teachers in the Portsmouth schools are considering plans for a walking club. Some are already partaking of eight or ten miles every morning or evening.

$18.00 Suits for $3.95 at the sale now going on corner Bow and Market streets, up one flight.

Still incendiary fires continue to destroy plants where government orders are being filled. Today New York had a $2,000,000 incendiary blaze in a wire factory.

Regular whist and dancing party, Knights of Columbus Home, Islington street, Tuesday evening, Nov. 13. Dancing 8 to 12; music, Doolittle and Shaw. Admission 25c.

New Hampshire College students were well pleased Saturday with their win over Maine College and the fact that a New Hampshire runner won the national junior intercollegiate cross country championship in New York.

$18.00 Suits for $3.95 at the sale nwo going on, corner. Bow. and. Market streets, up one flight.

Here are the new laws that will govern "war bread" after the staple food comes under federal control: Loaves to be baked in only four weights—1, 1 1-2, 2 and 4 pounds. All fancy breads to be eliminated. Loaves to be creased in middle to permit sale in halves. Only three pounds of sugar allowed to each barrel of flour, instead of six as at present. Two pounds of vegetable oil shortening must be used to each barrel, instead of six pounds of lard or oil. Only skimmed milk to be used.

BARNABEE WILL BE 84 ON WEDNESDAY

Famous Actor Making Good Recovery From a Recent Accident.

Henry Clay Barnabee, the grand old man of the comic opera stage, and a native of Portsmouth will celebrate his 84th birthday on Wednesday. The "Sheriff of Nottingham," as he will be remembered, is now convalescing from a serious illness caused by a fall at his home in Boston and has been confined for several weeks at the Emerson hospital, Jamaica Plain.

SERVICES HELD AT THE WENTWORTH HOME

A quintet of young ladies and gentlemen, led by Mr. Stanley Gilkey at the piano, assisted the Rev. Lucius H. Thayer in the Sunday afternoon service at the Wentworth home, Nov. 11, which consisted of two beautiful scripture readings, a prayer, and a most helpful discourse on the "peace of God that passeth understanding," by Mr. Thayer, and many hymns, both new and old, sung by the choir.

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LITTLE BOWERY PLAYED A SCORELESS GAME

The Little Bowery A. C. and the Newburyport A. C. played a scoreless game at the South play grounds on Saturday afternoon. For the home team the work of Langdon, Godfrey, Linchey and Herlihy was the feature. For the visitors Gillis, Brennan, Valpoon and Harley did good work. The summary:

Little Bowery.	Newburyport A. C.
Crowley, le	re, Brennan
Brault, lt	rt, Leary
Moran, lg	rg, Hurley
Mahoney, c	c, Hallsey
Regan, rg	lg, Peters
Grace, rt	lt, Torrey
Herlihy, re	le, Pond
Godfrey, qb	qb, Valpoon
Linchey, lhb	rhb, Bradford
Wilcox, rhb	lhb, Taylor
Langdon, fb	fb, Gillis

Referee, Call. Umpire, Jones. Linesmen, Haley and Welch. Time, four 10-minute periods.

SHIPBUILDING PLANT NOTES

Police Officer P. B. Smith is restricted to his home by illness.

F. C. Horner of Portsmouth and Burgess Abbott of Eliot have joined the force of night watchmen.

Assistant Engineer M. L. Bullard has been confined to his home with an attack of the grippe.

Chief Engineer Chester W. Smith has recovered from a week's illness.

The big water tower is 92 feet high.

C. W. Gregg and wife and J. C. Purrington and wife passed the week-end in Salem, Mass.

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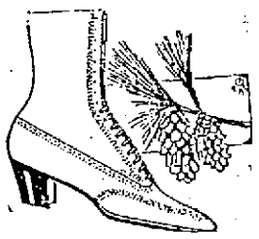

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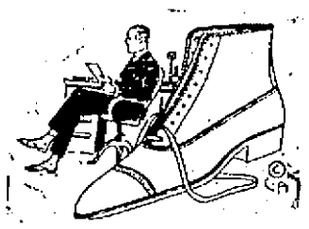

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